

## EXPLOSION ON U.S. DIVER KILLS FOUR

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Five of Them  
Seriously

## EXPECT THREE TO DIE

Blast Occurs While Craft Is  
Undergoing Repairs in Dry-  
dock at New York Navy Yard

## CAUSE HAS NOT BEEN DECIDED

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—Four men were killed and ten others were injured, five of them dangerously, by an explosion which occurred this afternoon on the submarine E-2, while the craft was undergoing repairs in drydock at the New York navy yard. One of the men killed was an enlisted electrician and the other three were civilian workers. At least three of the ten now in hospitals are not expected to live.

**List of Dead.**  
R. B. Seabert, electrician, U. S. N.  
James H. Peck, civilian, Brooklyn.  
J. P. Schultz, civilian, Brooklyn.  
Joseph Logan, civilian, Brooklyn.  
The Injured.  
L. C. Miles, chief electrician, U. S. N.

Ramon Otto, electrician, U. S. N.  
Guy H. Clark, Jr., U. S. N.  
John Holsey, U. S. N.  
James Lyons, civilian.  
Henry Zoll, civilian.  
Otto Hassert, civilian.  
Richard Heyne, civilian.  
Michael Peyser, civilian.  
August Kaplin, civilian.

Altho the detonation was terrific, the submarine itself, from the outside, shows none of the effects of the explosion.

**Interior Badly Shattered.**  
The interior apparatus, however, was badly shattered but so tight was the vessel's shell that there was no means of escape for gas which accumulated and it was more than an hour after the blast before work of recovering the bodies could be completed.

A ladder was blown up thru the conning tower and fell 150 feet away. The injured men and one body were removed soon after the accident but three bodies, far down in the craft, could not be reached until the gas had been blown out by compressed air. Soon after the explosion several naval officers led a rescue party into the drydock but were partly overcome by gas fumes when they attempted to descend into the vessel. It was then that compressed air pipes were run into the shell and the gas forced out.

**Twenty Working on Craft.**  
The number of men inside the submarine at the time of the explosion is not definitely known. About twenty were working on the craft but all of them were not on the underwater boat at the same time. It is not thought possible that anyone who was inside could have escaped injury.

What caused the explosion has not been decided.

Rear-Admiral Usher, commander of the navy yard, after an examination declined to express an opinion. He said:

"The men were at work in the battery compartment of the E-2, discharging the new Edison batteries thru a rheostat to measure the voltage and the explosion occurred in that compartment while they were working there. The battery will generate no kind of gas and there was no gasoline on board. The engine was of the oil burning Diesel type."

Pending the appointment of an official board to inquire into the accident, Rear-Admiral Usher named a committee as follows: Commander Pope of the ship Maine; Commander Stewart of the torpedo boat to which the E-2 was attached.

The E-2 was 160 feet long and 13 feet beam. She was driven with two screws and was equipped with four torpedo tubes. The submarine was attached to the second division of the submarine flotilla. The second division which consists of the Monitor Ozark and the submarines D-1, D-2, D-3, E-1 and E-2, is commanded by Lieut. Ralph A. Koch.

Built at Quincy, Mass.  
Boston, Mass., Jan. 15.—The submarine E-2 which was blown up at the New York navy yard today was built at the Fore River Shipbuilding company at Quincy, Mass., in 1912, under a sub-contract from the Electric Boat company. She was delivered to the government on February 15th of that year.

The E-2, formerly the Sturgeon, was the first vessel of the navy to be equipped with Diesel oil burning engines as she was the first to be equipped with the new type of Edison batteries. Both her engines and former type of batteries were said by naval men to have been the

## NO OFFICIAL NOTICE FOR VON PAPEN LETTERS

CORRESPONDENCE CONSIDERED BY  
STATE DEPT. MERELY INTERESTING

Incident from U. S. Standpoint Practically Closed by Withdrawal of German Agent and his Colleague—Records Show Various Payments by "Bernstorff."

Washington, Jan. 15.—Disclosure of alleged activities of German agent in the United States contained in the papers seized by the British from Captain Von Papen, the former German military attaché here, while they have commanded intense interest have brought no indication of official notice. The general view is that the United States government practically closed the incident when it called for the withdrawal of Captain Von Papen and his colleague, Captain Boy-Ed, the naval attaché.

Much of the correspondence cabled to this country is looked upon as most officials as being little more than interesting. That which purports to be between Von Papen and Werner Horn is eagerly awaited however, as possibly being a link in the chain of evidence government agents collected regarding the attempted destruction of the railway bridge at Vanceboro, Maine.

**Evidence on File.**  
In the files of the state department is all the data collected by the agents of the department of justice, secret service operatives and others touching almost every alleged war plot in this country in the last eighteen months. On the surface, officials express surprise at suggestions that Von Papen or Boy-Ed were under surveillance in this country after the outbreak of the war because such action would hardly be in keeping with diplomatic usage.

State department records however are said to avail that the activities of both were known to the government in detail. Apparently about the only case of consequence in which federal agencies have not made definite discoveries is that of Robert Fay and the others recently indicted with him in New York for conspiracy to interfere with American trade in munitions of war by attaching bombs to ships. The attitude of American officials has been that while all the information they had was interesting it was not sufficient even if it could be presented to a court—which was out of the question in the case of diplomatic officers—to bring convictions.

**Book Shows Payments.**  
London, Jan. 15.—Payments by Captain Von Papen to the recalled military attaché of the German embassy at Washington to two persons charged with playing important parts in the activities of German agents in the United States are disclosed by a further examination of the documents in the British government's possession. A bank book shows that checks were given to Paul Koenig, head of the police service of the Hamburg-American line who is under arrest in New York and Hans Adam Von Wendell, who had indicated at New York for conspiracy. Koenig is credited with having received several checks for large sums.

The books show the receipt by Captain Von Papen of large sums from "Bernstorff." The payments began in August, 1914, a few days after the commencement of the war and continued until the middle of October last. Some of the payments are credited to "Bernstorff" and others to "embassy."

The entries shortly before Captain Von Papen's departure from the United States show receipts from individuals in payment of personal debts, one being from the purchaser of Van Papen's automobile.

## DISCOVER CASE OF FOOT MOUTH DISEASE IN DROVE OF HOGS

East St. Louis, Ill., Jan. 15.—A case of foot and mouth disease was discovered today in a drove of hogs at the National Stock Yards here today and seventy-three hogs in the unloading penitentiary were killed. The shipment was from Taylorville, Ill. The disease was discovered as the drove was passing thru the unloading chute.

This is the first case of foot and mouth disease ever discovered in the yards here.

## NEGOTIATIONS FOR WILLARD-MORAN MATCH ARE EXPECTED TODAY

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 15.—Negotiations with Jack Curley in Exeter Springs, Mo., were expected by Jess Willard and his manager, Tom Jones, to be entered into tomorrow as they left for watering place tonight. Curley, representing the promoters of the proposed Willard-Moran match, was expected to arrive in the morning.

According to a statement by Willard, a guarantee of \$30,000 will be demanded in case that the match is held in the open air, besides a percentage of the gate receipts.

Jones stated that he preferred an out of doors fight early in April. He said Willard would not fight under any circumstances on Decoration Day.

Janesville, Wis., Jan. 15.—U. S. Senator Robert M. La Follette is ill at Madison. He is threatened with pneumonia according to word received here.

## INTEREST CENTERS IN MONTENEGRO

Events Dramatic as Little  
Kingdom Has Crumbled  
Before Great Force

## RUSS ON THE OFFENSIVE

Attacks on Austrian Lines Were  
Made With Desperate  
Determination

## STRENGTHEN DEFENSES

**BULLETIN**  
Berlin, Jan. 15.—(By wireless to Sayville)—The Austrians are continuing their pursuit of the Montenegrins on both the southwestern and eastern fronts. The official statement by the war office received here today from Vienna reports that at Cetinje 154 cannons, ten machine guns, 10,000 rifles and much ammunition was captured.

**BULLETIN**  
Berlin, Jan. 15.—(By wireless to Sayville)—Russian attacks on the Austrian positions in Eastern Galicia and on the Bosserian front are increasing in intensity. The Russians repeatedly charging in masses, but the assaults all along the lines have been repulsed, according to the official statement by the Austrian-Hungarian war office given out today in Vienna and received here.

Only on the Gessarian and East Galician front and in Montenegro have there been recent military developments of importance. The rapid sequence of events in the Montenegrin campaign involving the crumbling of the little kingdom's resistance, presents, perhaps the most dramatic aspect, but on a far larger scale and of greater interest for the moment at least is the conflict being waged between the Austrians and the Russians.

The Russian offensive, resumed in force after a brief halt, apparently is being pressed with more determination than before.

Reports of the fighting so far have come only from Vienna, but these indicate that the attacks against the Austrian lines were of a desperate character. The Russians repeatedly charging in serried lines a dozen deep only to be repulsed each time with frightful losses, according to the Austrian official statement. This report adds that the attacks have not netted the Russians on inch of territory.

In Montenegro the Austrians following up their capture of Cetinje, are pursuing the depleted forces of King Nicholas and have made additional captures.

The Montenegrins, according to unofficial advice after transferring their capital to Niksic determined to make a stand at Reekak, to the southeast of Cetinje and if necessary to continue their retreat southward and concentrate their defense at Scutari, Albania.

In interior Montenegro on the eastern front of the fighting in this field of war the Austrians have advanced from Berane and taken the heights of Gradina to the south.

The fighting along the Franco-Belgian lines has not been of moment since the operations in the Champagne, started by the German offensive movement there, came to a halt. Artillery engagements and trench warfare with occasional aerial encounters are the only happenings that have recently been chronicled in the official statements.

Around Saloniki where the entente forces have been energetically preparing themselves for the expected advances of the Teutonic allies there have been additional defensive preparations in the way of destruction of bridges. A German air raid on Saloniki which is declared to have been futile is the only notable incident reported.

Berlin reports opening of thru railroad service to Constantinople with the departure of the first train from the German capital.

A semi-official statement issued in Berlin declares that Emperor William has completely recovered from the slight indisposition caused by a carbuncle.

British losses in officers during December totaled 920 of whom 275 were killed. Total casualties of officers since the war began to the end of December were 22,981 and the killed 6,847.

**LETCHER REMAINS ON BORDER.**  
El Paso, Texas, Jan. 15.—Myron Letcher, American consul at Chihuahua City, did not leave for his post today. He received a message from Washington. It was said, countering previous instructions to proceed and ordering him to remain on the border.

**FIND GIRL HANGING TO RAFTER**  
Bloomington, Ill., Jan. 15.—Miss Hilda Nafziger, aged 28, of near Stanford, was found hanging to a rafter in an old house this afternoon. Her parents are wealthy farmers.

## TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Jan. 15.—Thirty-two thousand operatives in motion mills of this city were notified today of a wage advance of five per cent.

ALBIA, Ia., Jan. 15.—F. J. Lamar was killed at the Ward mine near here today when he pushed an empty car down the mouth of an open shaft. Car and man both plunged to the bottom of the shaft.

ROCK ISLAND, Ill., Jan. 15.—Proceedings were instituted in the county court today to collect an inheritance tax on \$2,000,000 worth of property that came into possession of Mrs. William Butterworth of Moline from the estate of her mother, Mrs. Mary L. Deere.

CHICAGO, Jan. 15.—Women are ineligible for jury service in Illinois, according to an opinion today by Chief Justice Harry Olson of the Chicago municipal court.

MINNEAPOLIS, Jan. 15.—Frederick T. Price, a business man of this city, was convicted of the murder of his wife, Mary Fridley Price, member of a wealthy Minnesota family by a jury in the district court here today.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., Jan. 15.—George H. Fink, assistant bookkeeper of the Hercules Bugby company, walked out of the company's office today with a satchel containing \$17,000, the money for the weekly payroll. He was captured four hours later at Booneville, Ind.

KEOKUK, Ia., Jan. 15.—W. R. Burt, postmaster at Fredonia, Wapello county, Iowa, was held here today for the federal grand jury on a charge of having embezzled post-office money order funds. The preliminary hearing was before United States Commissioner Miller.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 15.—Col. R. M. Powell, that last surviving commander of Hood's Fifth Texas brigade of the Confederate army, died here today. He was 89 years old.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Jan. 15.—Music at meals for some 750 convicts of the western penitentiary here has been decided on by Colonel A. Rook, president of the board of prison inspectors. It also was arranged to employ an instructor to drill the convicts in physical exercises.

WASHINGTON, Penn., Jan. 15.—Seven thousand men are idle today as a result of a gas shortage which has compelled many industries in this vicinity to shut down. The demand for gas owing to the present cold wave is said to be responsible for the shortage.

ELGIN, Ill., Jan. 15.—The thirteenth state encampment of the Illinois department United Spanish War Veterans will be held in Chicago June 16, 17, and 18. The announcement of the date of the encampment was made today by Martin Sipple, department adjutant of the organization.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 15.—J. Daniel McNamara, general passenger agent of the Wabash railroad, has been appointed passenger traffic manager. It was announced today. He began his railway career as a ticket checker on the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy at Keokuk, Ia.

## GETS DIVORCE; IS MURDERED TWO BLOCKS FROM COURT HOUSE

MATTOON, Ill., Jan. 15.—Mrs. Betsy Bird, who was granted a divorce from Charles Bird today, was murdered two blocks from the courthouse at Sullivan, Ill., while walking along the street. Sullivan is seventeen miles northwest of here. The shot which killed the woman was fired so close to her that her clothing caught fire.

Sheriff W. O. Funston has formed a posse to search for the murderer. It is said the troubles of the Birds caused a feud which involved the respective families and that during the divorce trial Bird made threats against members of his wife's family.

**Arrested in Tuscola.**  
Decatur, Ill., Jan. 16.—Charles Bird, whose wife was killed early Saturday evening at Sullivan, was arrested at Tuscola early this (Sunday) morning, as he alighted from a southbound train.

## GIRL IS BLOWN TO ATOMS IN EXPLOSION OF GAS LIGHT PLANT

PARIS, Ill., Jan. 15.—Miss Florence Cole, the 17 year old daughter of W. D. Cole, assistant cashier of the Edgar County bank was blown to atoms and the residence of the banker wrecked tonight as the result of an explosion of the gas light plant in the rear of the residence.

Miss Cole was alone in the house at the time of the explosion, the cause of which has not been determined. The residence occupied a site in the suburbs of the city and was one of the show places of Paris.

**REPORT SOLDIERS IN FIGHT.**  
El Paso, Texas, Jan. 15.—The sheriff's office here received a report that United States soldiers at Fort Hancock, 53 miles east of here, had attacked some resident Mexicans and severely beaten a number.

Later advices were to the effect that the reports originated from the fact that one or two soldiers had been engaged in fights with Mexicans. Everything was quiet at the fort tonight it was reported.

## MEXICAN LEADERS URGE PATIENCE

Promise They Will Soon  
Have All Bandits  
Arrested

## GEN. TRIVINO'S REPORT

Official Communication From  
Carranza Expected to Give  
Assurances

## CONGRESS HAD QUIET DAY

Juarez, Mex., Jan. 15.—General Gabriel Gaviira, Carranza commandant, announced today that the bodies of Generals Rodriguez and General Rivas, Villa chiefs, who were shot at Rodriguez had been defeated at Pearson, would reach the border in a day or two so that Americans may verify the report of their execution.

According to Gaviira, American Mormon colonists in western Chihuahua have been instructed to concentrate at Guzman, Pearson, Casas Grandes and Madera, until Chihuahua state is finally cleared of bandits.

To aid in the bandit roundup order by Carranza, a regiment of troops from Sonora is proceeding westward under command of Colonel Jose Queveda of the Mexican garrison of Agua Prieta, opposite Douglas, Ariz.

"The American people should be patient," said General Gaviira. "We shall soon have entire control of the situation. Argumedo, the bandit leader in southern Sonora, has only 1,800 men. We have many thousands."

Washington, Jan. 15.—General Carranza's formal reply to the demand of the United States for punishment of the bandits who killed eighteen American mining men near Santa Ysabel, Mexico, had not reached Washington tonight, but officials were not inclined to doubt the good faith of assurances given by the General's ambassador-designate here, Eliseo Arredondo, that every possible effort would be made to run down the murderers.

These assurances were renewed by Mr. Arredondo tonight in making public the report of General Trevino in charge of the forces detailed to capture the bandits and insure protection to persons in the district in which they have been operating. General Trevino whose despatch was transmitted by the Mexican consul at El Paso also described the massacre, said those responsible would be "hunted down without rest."

The day passed without any reputation in congress of the outbursts of indignation that have marked almost every session since word of the Santa Ysabel incident was received. Chairman Stone of the senate foreign relations committee, however, called on Secretary Lansing and requested that the committee be kept advised promptly of receipt of any further information. The secretary promised that would be done.

The report of General Trevino as made public by Mr. Arredondo, follows:

"On Monday at 11:15 a. m. special train No. 41, left Chihuahua for Cuernavaca, arriving at Santa Ysabel at 1:15 p. m., and started from there and upon arriving at Kilometer 68' west of Santa Ysabel, it found another train of the National Railways derailed. Upon persons alighting from their train to see what had occurred they saw armed men on both sides of the road who were firing upon them after which a so-called general, named Reina, ordered that the crew be put under guard. He then robbed all the passengers, looting the contents of the cars and express. The murders followed.

"On the same day of the above incident the general headquarters ordered that a regiment embark at once under the command of Colonel Jose Villanueva to start in the direction of Santa Ysabel with instructions to pursue the bandits and to endeavor to get in touch with General Cavazos, commander of the National Railways, who was watching the movements of the enemy which had assaulted the train.

"The bandits upon observing the movements of the constitutionalist forces in all directions, retreated to a place called Carretas, according to information at hand, scattering in small groups which fled towards the west and south presumably in the direction of the mountains of Durango. If any information is obtained that new bands have appeared in the mountain range they will be hunted down without rest in order to prevent their concentration at any given point.

"Military headquarters informed the general that the garrisons at Madera and Casas Grandes had been increased."

Carranza Officers to Confer.  
Douglas, Ariz., Jan. 15.—Cavalry under Colonel Francisco Anchetta has been ordered from Hermosillo to the Sahuaripa district of Sonora, 290

## HAUSER IS FOUND GUILTY OF MURDER

JURY RETURNS VERDICT AFTER  
SEVEN HOURS DELIBERATION

Was Charged With Killing W. H. Smith, Cashier of the Woodmen of the World, and in Sentence to Life Imprisonment—Defense Will Appeal.

Omaha, Neb., Jan. 15.—Arthur Hauser, charged with the murder of W. H. Smith, cashier of the Woodmen of the World, on the night of October 16, 1915, was found guilty tonight by a jury in district court.

Hauser was sentenced to life imprisonment. Attorneys for the defense gave notice of appeal. The verdict was returned after seven hours deliberation.

Hauser was charged with having shot and killed Smith during an attempted robbery when the latter refused to hand up his hands.

Miss Grace Slater, an employee of the Woodmen of the World, who was with Smith when he was murdered, was the state's chief witness.

Miss Slater identified Hauser as the murderer before and during the trial.

The case was given to the jury at 3:40 o'clock in the afternoon. At that time Hauser, who had asked that the verdict be acquittal or first degree murder, turned to his attorneys and said:

"The jury will not deliberate long. Their verdict will be guilty."

The prisoner's aged mother, wife and two children, attended him during the trial. They were seated near him when he predicted the verdict. Hauser had served a term in the penitentiary. He was alleged to have been guilty of minor offenses in several cities for which police wanted him. At the trial he broke down and wept as he pleaded with the jury to sentence him to death or acquit him.

The killing of Smith produced a sensation here and in Woodmen of the World circles elsewhere. The allegation that the murderer had mistreated Miss Slater increased the feeling against the prisoner.

## WILL PROTEST ELECTION OF JUSTICE AS HEAD OF CENTRAL ASSOCIATION

WATERLOO, Iowa, Jan. 15.—Announcement was made today by the Waterloo Athletic association that a protest on the election of M. E. Justice to the presidency of the Central association will be filed with Secretary Farrell within a few days. The local directors are now preparing the protest. It is the contention of the Waterloo club that President Justice had no right to cast a vote for himself for president at the annual meeting in Burlington this week.

The directors had cast four votes for Mr. Justice and four for F. C. Norton of Burlington. Mr. Justice announced that the constitution gave him the right to vote on all questions in which the vote of the directors was a tie, and that he would vote for himself for president.

## AUCTION OF FURS FROM ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD CLOSES

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 15.—The four auction of furs from all parts of the world closed here late today. It was announced that more than 700,000 pelts had been sold for approximately \$1,050,000. Shipments already have begun to come in for a greater auction to begin March 20th, when \$2,000,000 worth of furs will be disposed of.

The most spirited bidding today was on raccoon and mink skins of skins during the sale was \$2,350 for mink and \$13,000 of the latter. The top price for raccoons was \$5.55 and for mink \$3.90.

The highest price paid for any skins during the sale was \$2,350 for a pair of silver fox pelts. A sea otter skin sold for \$1,010.

## LAST OF STATE MILITIA SENT TO; YOUNGSTOWN FOR STRIKE LEAVES

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Jan. 15.—With the departure tonight of the Eighth regiment of the national guard the last of the state militia sent to East Youngstown for strike duty left the city.

The finding of bits of clothing and other personal effects in the ruins of some of the business blocks today caused Mayor W. H. Cunningham of East Youngstown to order a thorough search made for bodies. Since the rioting many of the women of the foreign population have asked the police for information concerning missing husbands and relatives.

Prosecutor A. M. Henderson stated that the report of the grand jury today indicting twenty-six men, all foreigners, for participation in the rioting was only a forerunner of a long list of findings to be returned.

miles south of here, to exterminate an independent band of 100 bandits under the leadership of Colonel Alberto Garcia, Ives G. Leclercq, consul here of the de facto Mexican government said today James Lord, manager of a mine thirty-five miles south of Mochituma, Sonora, is safe and quiet prevails in that district, Consul Leclercq said.

A conference of Carranza officials will be held in Juarez early next week to perfect plans for the extermination of Francisco Villa and his bandits, according to announcement by Robert V. Pesquiera, personal representative of General Carranza.

## EXPECT HOT FIGHT IN ILLINOIS HOUSE

Passage of Cook County  
Election Bill Is Said  
to Be in Doubt

## DOWNSTATE OPPOSES IT

Much Speculation in Capital as  
to How Much Legislation Will  
Be Successful in House

## MAY ADJOURN THIS WEEK

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Jan. 15.—There was much speculation in the state capital today as to how much of the legislation enacted this week by the state senate will be successful in the house next week, when the second special session of the Illinois legislature re-convenes Tuesday for the second week of its session.

As the leaders expect to bring the work of the special session to a close next week it is believed that only the bills already passed by the senate will have a chance of being enacted into law. No measures were passed by the house this week.

**Important Bills Passed by Senate.**  
Following are some of the more important measures already passed by the senate, which will be acted upon by the house next week.

Appropriating \$331,439.10 to pay present and future food and mouth claims.

Providing separate ballots for Cook county offices at next fall's election.

Eliminating the March 21st, registration in Chicago.

Advancing the election of Cook county superior court judges from June to April 4th, the same date as the aldermanic election.

Validating \$2,000,000 Cook county good roads bond issues and making such bond issues carried by a majority of those voting at an election.

Giving the state control of the manufacture and sale of hog cholera serum and virus.

Reducing the number of ballots to be printed in Chicago.

Re-creating the state centennial and pension commissions.

The senate defeated a bill to advance the presidential primary election in Illinois from April 11th, to February 29th, and failed to pass a bill amending the primary law.

**Expect Hot Fight in House.**  
A hot fight is expected in the house next week over the bill providing for separate ballots in Cook county offices.

Its passage is said to be in doubt. Downstate members are said to be opposed to the bill changing the method of voting county bond issues on the ground that the proposed method would make it too easy to place counties in debt. There is considerable difference of opinion as to the fate, next week of the Chicago election bills. Cook county law makers are confident, however, that the measures will be successful. All indications are that the foot and mouth appropriation bills and the measures re-creating the state centennial and pension commissions will receive little or no opposition. Leaders hope to complete the work of the session by Wednesday or Thursday.

It then is proposed to have the second special session, recess until February 23rd, the same date to which this first special session, held in November recessed.

## CHARLES E. HAY DIES.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 15.—Charles E. Hay of this city, aged 75 years, a brother of the late John E. Hay, secretary of state of the United States under President McKinley, died at St. Louis, Mo., today following an operation.

Captain Hay was an officer in the Civil War and a member of the Loyal Legend of the United States, one of the most exclusive military organizations in the nation. He was one of the most prominent families in Illinois and was closely allied with banking interests.

## WEATHER FORECAST AND TEMPERATURES.

ILLINOIS: Generally fair Sunday, except unsettled southeast portion; much colder; Monday fair and continued cold.

**Temperatures.**  
The current, maximum and minimum temperatures recorded Saturday were:

Jacksonville	24	24	4
Boston	24	24	10
Buffalo	24	24	10
New York	24	24	6
New Orleans	54	64	38
Chicago	24	26	10
Detroit	24	24	12
Omaha	2	8	6
St. Paul	4	4	1
Helena	16	6	1
San Francisco	33	52	
Winnipeg			



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Herrick Seeks To Go.

Former Governor Myron T. Herrick of Ohio, has determined to become a candidate for the U. S. senate on the Republican ticket. As governor he made a record which should be helpful to him in his new aspirations, and the country well remembers him as ambassador to France. Released just when the war broke out, he remained much longer than need be in order to be of all possible assistance to his successor, and also that he might give help to Americans temporarily in distress because of the war conditions.

The Children Must Suffer.

The action is not more severe or grim than others which characterize the conduct of the great war, but somehow the refusal of the allies to permit the shipment of condensed milk for the use of babies in Germany and Austria-Hungary seems especially hard. The French government when requested to permit the shipment of milk to be distributed by the American Red Cross society, took it under advisement and then came the notice of refusal. With this refusal one pictures the homes in Europe where children are hungry and again the cry goes up, "How long, oh, how long will these war cruelties continue?" But it's only because the order affects the children that its severity appeals, for each day brings a thousand cruelties—a thousand barbarities—which spring from hearts where all feeling and all sympathy has given way before the iron of war.

The Universal Heart.

Monday will be bundle day in Chicago. The newspapers there have joined in requesting the people to observe this day by preparing bundles of clothing and shoes for distribution among the needy of the great city, whose cases now merit special attention because of the severe winter. The cold came on so suddenly that thousands of families suffered and the appeal went out to people to gather together their surplus apparel for distribution. Acc-

## Rippling Rhymes By WALT MASON

THE SNOW.

The schoolboy shies with exultant glee, when the snow comes down and enshrouns the lee. What fun to wade in the dazzling flakes, without a fear of rheumatic aches! What fun to ride on a speedy sled, till curfew summons the kids to bed! What fun to fashion a ball of snow, and throw it straight as a boy can throw, and see it break some pilgrim's neck, and hear him quote from the works of Heek! The snow means oodles of wholesome joy to the glowing soul of the growing boy. But the snow means grief to the ancient gent, whose step is feeble, whose back is bent. He coughs his diaphragm inside out, and he has the grip and he has the gout, and all diseases he ever knew, the snow brings back, and some others, too. He has to shovel a little track, and he slips and falls and breaks his back, and the snowball thrown by the joyous kid, drives in his whiskers and spoils his lid, and he cuds aloud, in a voice of woe, "Oh, blank the pinkety blink blank snow!"



## MATRIMONIAL

Flower-Mason.

Harry Flower and Miss Mabel Mason, both of this city were united in marriage Saturday evening at six o'clock by the Rev. W. W. Theobald at his residence. The groom is a metal worker by trade. The bride has for a number of years been collector and bookkeeper for the Brook Mill. They will make their home in this city.

TO REMOVE SHRUBBERY. The state utilities commission has notified the park board that some of the shrubbery at the entrance of Nichols park will have to be removed. This is done in order to make the grade crossing of the Alton more safe for traffic.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank the many kind friends who remember us with help and words of sympathy during the illness and after the death of Mrs. S. T. Maddox, also for the many beautiful flowers.

Samuel T. Maddox.  
Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Cully.

JOHN HENRY FARM SOLD.

The farm of John Henry, near Nortonville was sold by Master in Chancery John F. Clark at public auction at the court house Saturday afternoon. The purchasers was Thomas Winters and the price paid was \$12,005 or \$85.71 per acre. The farm consists of 140 acres.

DATES IN ILLINOIS HISTORY.

Jan. 16, 1765—Sir William Johnson, superintendent of Indian affairs, issued regulations for the Indian trade limiting traffic in liquor. These rules applied to the Illinois trading posts.

coming to the plan arranged, bundles can be left at any school house or police station.

The day has not arrived, but it is certain that there will come generous response, for all the people of the great city need to awaken their generosity and sympathy is to have real suffering pointed out. It sometimes seems that there is no heart in a great busy city, but after all, people in large and small cities and in the country districts are about the same, and the supply of human sympathy is pretty evenly divided.

For the relief of suffering and for the aid of the needy organization is all that is demanded, for when once the public heart and conscience can be touched in such a way that the cares and worries of everyday life are forgotten, the response comes quickly. A certain evidence of this universal heart was furnished the past week when the Chicago Tribune one day presented the picture of a year-old baby with the story below that the mother because of her low earning capacity was unable to support the child and was looking for someone to take him into a good home. In two days' time fully a thousand inquiries were received and men and women in childless homes were vying with one another in the effort to secure this lad, whose lot was not cast in fortunate circumstances.

Carelessness Cost Millions.

Unless there comes some new outbreak of the hoof and mouth disease, there is now the chance that very soon the livestock industry at the state will once more assume normal conditions. The industry has been more or less demoralized since the first foot and mouth quarantine was established in October, 1914. A government order just given has released practically all of the state from the disease embargo. One township in Lake county is the only one in which the quarantine is still effective. An order was also given designating the Union Stock yards in Chicago as a free area for the receipt of shipments for slaughter. So unless there are some unexpected developments, conditions previous to the quarantine order will shortly be wholly restored.

The foot and mouth disease epidemic cost the state of Illinois more than a million dollars. The federal government appropriated two million and a half for expenditures in connection with the disease and it is impossible to list the great individual losses which farmers and stockmen have suffered because of the necessity of disposing of cattle for immediate slaughter, whereas under ordinary conditions the cattle would have been shipped out for feeding purposes.

Just where the blame for all this expense and trouble belongs has never been definitely determined. State officials and federal officials have been criticised and charges and counter charges have been made without the general public coming to any definite knowledge as to where the blame really belongs. The fact remains that the enormous losses have been suffered and that the packers have been the only persons who have benefited in any way. The question of responsibility is now a matter of history, but it behooves both state and federal officials to take every necessary step to see to it that no re-occurrence of such a disaster is possible.

## MRS. TOBE WRIGHT AND SON LEAVE FOR HOME IN NEBRASKA

Have Been Guests of Relatives in Philadelphia Neighborhood—Out-Of-Town News of That Community.

Philadelphia, Jan. 16.—Mrs. Tobie Wright and son Jesse left Tuesday for their home at Auburn, Neb., after spending the past two weeks with friends and relatives here. Mrs. Wright's brother, B. F. Flanagan, accompanied them home for a brief visit.

Mrs. Frank Black spent a few days last week visiting her sister, Mrs. Mabel Williams, in Virginia. Warren Watkins and Jesse McNeely returned Tuesday evening from their trip to Kansas. Arthur Violet and wife of Franklin returned home Wednesday on a visit with friends and relatives here.

Miss Pauline McLin is visiting friends in Waverly.

Mrs. Ida McLin and daughter Leona have gone to Bluff Springs to spend a few days.

Frank Dalton returned home Saturday after spending the past week with relatives and friends in Franklin.

Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Springer spent Sunday with John Springer and family.

## SIXTEENTH BUICK IS SOLD BY HOWARD ZAHN

Howard Zahn sold his sixteenth Buick car Saturday to Herman Engelbrecht of Chapin. Friday he sold a Buick to Philip Hackman. These are 1916 models Buicks and are getting more popular each day.

## U. C. T. ARE PLANNING FOR BIG TIME IN FEB.

The United Commercial Travelers at their regular meeting last night initiated James Merrill and Roy Lomb into the order. At the February meeting the Council will entertain the Grand Councilor Sullivan and other state officers. The initiation of fifteen candidates will take place at 2 o'clock and a banquet will be served at 6 o'clock.

L. E. Myers of Beardstown, of the Central Illinois Public Service Corporation was a visitor in Jacksonville yesterday.

## SOCIAL EVENTS

Miss Newman Hostess  
to Domestic Science Club.

Miss Ella Newman, head of the department of home economics at the Jacksonville high school and members of her class entertained the Domestic Science Round table Saturday afternoon at the domestic science rooms in the David Prince school building. Miss Newman read a very interesting paper on "Cheese and Its Uses." She afterward gave demonstrations of various dishes in which cheese may be used to advantage.

The members of the third year class who assisted Miss Newman were Misses Esther Agnew, Zella Benson, Edith Williamson, Loretta Pienbringer, Joy Bourn and Mildred Waller. The meeting was well attended and an especially enjoyable feature of the afternoon was the serving of dainty refreshments, when the women present had opportunity to partake of several toothsome cheese dishes.

Mrs. Hopper Entertains  
Queen Esther Class.

The Queen Esther Sunday school class of Grace M. E. church spent a pleasant evening Saturday at the home of their teacher, Mrs. Charles Hopper, 305 North Diamond street, when the "blues" gave a supper for the class engaged in a contest throughout the months of October, November and December, and it was in fulfillment of a promise to the winning side that the banquet was given. Music was among the forms of social diversion of the young women and the evening hours passed most enjoyably.

Party in Honor of  
Guest From Missouri.

Twenty-four young people were entertained Saturday evening by Miss Jeannette Foreman and Miss Dora Conlee at Miss Conlee's home, 1635 South Main street. The event was in honor of Miss Hazel Foreman of Brookfield, Mo., who is a guest in the city. Prizes were won in the games and contests by Louis Hauck and Miss Bess Hadden, Donald Butler and Miss Irene Smith receiving consolation awards. Dainty refreshments were served.

Pleasant Hour Club  
With Mrs. Degen.

The Pleasant Hour club was entertained at the home of Mrs. C. L. Degen, 359 West College avenue Saturday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock with Mrs. Degen and Mrs. Minnie Birkenhead as hostesses. Mrs. Elizabeth Osborne and Mrs. Shanahan were present as guests of the club. An important feature of the afternoon was a carefully prepared paper by Mrs. D. T. Heimlich on "The Woman Problem of Today." Much amusement was furnished by a guessing contest in which the prize was won by Mrs. Osborne. A dainty two-course luncheon was served and the occasion in all respects was a most enjoyable one.

A social meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of Centenary church will be held at the home of Mrs. Frank Bristow, 834 West North street Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Bridge Whist Party  
Given by Mrs. Babb.

Mrs. W. S. Babb of 721 West State street, was hostess to a bridge whist party Saturday afternoon where a delightful afternoon was spent. At cards the first prize was won by Mrs. Charles Scott and the second prize by Miss Rose Bellatti. Suitable refreshments were served.

Overland cars have stood the test, selling now fully equipped \$895.00. Get busy with J. F. Claus.

NOTICE.

We have purchased the stock and good will of J. F. Claus in the J. F. Claus Tea Co. We wish to thank our many friends and customers for favors in the past and will continue to serve you to the best of our ability in the future.

Respectfully,  
W. W. Schrag,  
C. E. Cully.

NOTICE.

I have disposed of my interest in the J. F. Claus Tea Co. to W. W. Schrag and C. E. Cully, my associates in business, and intend to devote my entire time to the Overland line of automobiles. I extend best wishes to my successors and hope you will continue to give them your patronage.

Respectfully,  
J. F. Claus.

## ONLY ONE OF CREW SAVED.

London, Jan. 15.—Only one out of 26 members of the crew of the Spanish steamship Bayo were saved when the vessel on Thursday was sunk by striking a floating mine, 40 miles off the port of La Rochelle. The Bayo was enroute from Havana, Spain, to La Rochelle. She was 312 feet long.

## NO POLITICS IN NAVY.

New York, Jan. 15.—There is and can be no politics in the navy, said Secretary Daniels, speaking before the National Democratic Club today, on the subject of national preparedness. The secretary of the navy, he said, had no patronage at his disposal as the chiefs of bureaus were selected from the trained men of the navy for their efficiency and their integrity.

## ADMIT WILL TO PROBATE.

Council Bluffs, Iowa, Jan. 15.—The will of General Grenville M. Dodge was admitted to probate today. N. P. Dodge, Jr. of Omaha and F. S. Pusey of New York City were confirmed as executors. It is believed the estate will aggregate more than \$2,000,000 most of it being invested in railroad bonds.

## ELLIOTT STATE BANK

Statement of Condition at Close of Business January 8th, 1916

RESOURCES	
Loans	\$ 655,606.89
Overdrafts	5,970.83
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	32,500.00
Other real estate	150.00
Bonds and securities	51,409.56
Cash and exchange	271,158.25
	\$1,016,795.53
LIABILITIES	
Capital	\$ 150,000.00
Undivided profits	21,738.36
Deposits	845,057.17
	\$1,016,795.53

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To accommodate the trade it is sold through the office of Jacob Cohen & Son, east Lafayette Avenue.

WITH THE SICK.

C. W. Andrews, principal of the Alexander school, who was taken ill with rheumatism several days ago, has showed little improvement and it may be that he will not be able to resume his duties this term.

W. W. Johnson of Alexander is ill at the home of his brother, John Johnson, 1232 South Main street.

Miss Edith Patton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Patton, is quite ill with pneumonia at the family home on Webster avenue.

Mrs. Samuel Darley of Durbin vicinity was in the city yesterday to see her son, Dawson Darley, who is ill at the residence of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McCormick on Grove street. The young man's sickness is not severe and he expects to be out in a few days.

Mrs. William T. Ellis of 882 North Church street, has been called to Quincy by the serious illness of her brother-in-law. Her stay in Quincy will be indefinite.

Rev. W. R. Dyer, formerly a pastor in the north part of the county is ill at the home of Mrs. James Brainer on South East street.

Mrs. Louis Fredlander, living northwest of the city, is slowly recovering from a recent severe illness of three weeks.

Ladies and Misses Scarf and Cap Sets, white or colors. FRANK BYRNS Hat Store.

## BERLIN NEWSPAPERS APPROVE GERMAN GOVERNMENT REPLY

BERLIN, Jan. 15.—By Wireless to Sayville—Berlin newspapers commenting on the German government's reply in the Baralong case, approve of the government's decision, according to the Overseas News Agency. The newspapers express the opinion that the English counter proposal is not made in earnest since the English government knew that no man would acquit the Baralong's murderers.

The Vossische Zeitung says that the German government's standpoint which suggested that the Baralong incident be judged by English officers is correct and recalls extracts published by Reuter's Telegram company which omitted passages "that most certainly will be shocking to all candid persons."

## VAN DYKE LEAVES FOR U. S.

London, Jan. 15.—Dr. Henry Van Dyke, the American minister at The Hague, has left for a brief visit to the United States on official business according to a Reuter Despatch from The Hague. Dr. Van Dyke is a passenger on the Steamer Rotterdam which sailed from Rotterdam today.

## REMOVE SOLDIERS' HOME.

Berne, via Paris, Jan. 15.—The Woodrow Wilson Soldiers' Home which was recently presented to the Swiss army by the American colony has been transported from Berne to Bienne, where it was received with acclamation by the citizens and soldiers.

## BOMB EXPLODES; KILLS TEN

Bombing, Jan. 15.—Ten children who were playing in a gravel pit near the local aviation ground were killed today by an air bomb. The children found the unexploded bomb and were playing with it when it exploded.

## SCOTT'S THEATRE

Run thru Supper Hour.

MONDAY

PARAMOUNT PICTURE

## John Barrymore

In the celebrated adventurous romance.

## THE DICTATOR

John Barrymore, whose every appearance on the screen insures a carnival of mirth, attains a genuine laugh triumph in the Famous Players Film Company's thrilling humorous photo-adaptation of the popular stage success, "The Dictator," by the celebrated author, Richard Harding Davis.

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## SUPER-DREADNAUGHT GOES THRU FIFTH OF ACCEPTANCE TRIALS

ROCKLAND, Maine, Jan. 15.—The super-dreadnaught Oklahoma, the biggest ship in the navy driven by reciprocating engines, went thru the fifth of her builders' acceptance trials on the measured mile course off Owl's Head today. A temperature of three degrees below zero caused much discomfort to those exposed on the decks.

While her contract required a speed of 20.5 knots the Oklahoma's aim actually was beyond that. Her sister ship, the Nevada having recently set a top speed mark of 21.04. The latter vessel derives power from turbines and the comparative speed of the ship is a subject of interest to naval constructors. It is understood the Oklahoma reached the required top speed on the run here from New York.

## BARTFIELD DEFEATS TOLAND

New York, Jan. 15.—Silder Bartfield of Brooklyn defeated Jack Toland, of Philadelphia, in a ten round boxing contest in Brooklyn tonight. Bartfield scored three knockdowns in the eighth round. Each fighter weighed 147 3-4 pounds.

## OFFICIALLY DENY REPORT.

Rome, Jan. 15.—The Montenegrin authorities officially deny that Montenegro ever adhered to or intends to adhere to any separate proposal of peace or to any armistice with Austria. It is declared that King Nicholas and his army and people will continue to fight until the last man is killed.

## MANY DROWN IN FLOOD.

Amsterdam, via London, Jan. 15.—Many persons have been drowned by the flood in northern Holland. On the Marken Islands the death list has reached sixteen, including seven children. Queen Wilhelmina has opened the royal palace at Amsterdam to shelter refugees.



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## CITY AND COUNTY

George Coker of Pisgah was a city visitor yesterday.  
J. H. Hadley of Peoria was a caller in the city yesterday.  
Miss Eva Baxter of Woodson spent Saturday in Jacksonville.  
C. P. Henderson of Litchfield visited the city yesterday.  
Charles Story of Nortonville spent Saturday in Jacksonville.  
William Bourn of Shiloh was down to the city yesterday.  
Men's Fur Caps \$2.00 up. FRANK BYRNS Hat Store.  
Mrs. C. A. Doyle of Bluffs was a visitor in the city yesterday.  
J. E. Vas of Springfield spent Saturday in the city on business.  
John Burmeister of Arcadia was a caller in the city yesterday.  
John Snyder of Alexander was an arrival in the city yesterday.  
Carl Cooper of Pisgah was a caller on city friends yesterday.  
J. P. Bogue of Bloomington had business in the city yesterday.  
Midwinter Concert, State St. Church, Friday, Jan. 21st.  
Miss Alta Kehl of Woodson was a visitor in the city Saturday.  
Edward Wilds of Murrayville was a visitor in the city Saturday.  
Mrs. Allie Hite of Patterson spent Saturday in the city shopping.  
Mrs. James Hite of Woodson was a visitor in the city yesterday.  
J. F. Claus sells Overland cars.  
John Deere of Ashland was a visitor yesterday with city friends.  
Charles A. Rush of Peoria was a caller yesterday on city people.  
Kirk Henley of Tallula was a caller on city friends yesterday.  
J. W. Arnold of Arnold station had business in the city yesterday.  
John Burns of Woodson was a caller on city friends yesterday.  
J. A. Wright of Springfield spent Saturday in the city on business.  
Wm. Cleary of the east part of the county visited the city yesterday.  
C. P. Knight of Litchfield was among the city visitors yesterday.  
Dike's HEPATIC SALTS, a great liver remedy. GILBERT'S PHARMACY.  
G. W. Anderson of Chapin had occasion to visit the city yesterday.  
Miss Alma Tate of Franklin was shopping in Jacksonville yesterday.  
C. H. Taylor of Chapin had occasion to visit the city yesterday.  
Henry Walbaum of Sinclair was among the city shoppers yesterday.  
H. A. Langdon of Manchester was added to the city arrivals yesterday.

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## Morgan County Farm At a Bargain.

Fine farm of over 200 acres, well improved and fenced; well watered; not corned year after year; 60 acres in grass. Will sell for an under the hammer price, as owner must go to other climate. Will sell part or all. Address 200 Care Jacksonville Journal.

## Midwinter Concert State St. Church, Friday, Jan. 21st.

David Wilson of Jerseyville was a business caller in the city yesterday.  
Miss Lela Barber of Meredosia was a shopper in the city Saturday.  
William Rexroat of Concord transacted business in the city Saturday.  
O. B. Rees of Franklin was transacting business in the city Saturday.  
J. C. McGraff of Jerseyville was a business caller in the city Saturday.  
William Waters of Naples made a business trip to the city yesterday.  
Edward Wemple of Waverly made a business trip to the city yesterday.  
James Garvin of Murrayville made a business visit in the city yesterday.  
A. J. Fanning of Murrayville was among the callers in the city yesterday.  
Frank Yeck of Meredosia was among the visitors in the city yesterday.  
E. B. Wilson of Alton was attending to business in the city yesterday.

## Conservatory Concert, Orchestra and Chorus, Friday, Jan. 21st.

Mrs. Maurice Thompson of Sinclair was a Saturday shopper in the city.  
Samuel Farmer of the vicinity of Prentice was a city visitor yesterday.  
John Snyder of Alexander was transacting business in the city yesterday.  
Miss Lella Ash of Prentice was among the arrivals in the city yesterday.  
Miss Nellie Hungerford of Scottville was shopping in the city Saturday.  
Miss Alice Young of Girard was among the shoppers in the city yesterday.  
Joseph Bubalick of Chandlerville was a visitor yesterday with city friends.  
Frank Flynn of Clemens was transacting business in the city yesterday.  
Ernest Sowers of Menard county made a business trip to the city yesterday.

## From Tea business to the Overland car—this factory needs no introduction. J. F. Claus, agent.

William Turzwell of the region of Buckhorn called on city friends yesterday.  
John Pine and Chester Burbank were up to the city yesterday from Bluffs.  
J. E. Martin of Pittsburg, Pa., was calling on local merchants Saturday.

## Friday evening, State St. Church, Conservatory Orchestra.

Sebastian Kume of Alexander was transacting business in the city yesterday.  
Hair brushes, hat brushes, tooth brushes, clothes brushes, nail brushes—excellent quality. GILBERT'S PHARMACY.  
William Stevenson of Markham was a visitor yesterday with city friends.

## Anderson Shaw of Roodhouse transacted business in Jacksonville Saturday.

Henry Walbaum of Alexander was transacting business in the city yesterday.  
R. J. Williamson of Springfield journeyed to the city yesterday, on business.

## Henry Watt of Canada is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Amanda Watt, near Woodson.

Mrs. Jean Dougherty of Virginia was among the visitors in the city Saturday.  
Just at the time when ladies appreciate FURS you can buy them cheap at FRANK BYRNS Hat Store.

## L. R. Cave of Astoria was among the business callers in the city Saturday.

H. G. Keplinger of Franklin visited some of the financiers of the city yesterday.

## Mrs. Wm. Barr Brown, soloist State St. Church, Friday evening.

Gus Sauer was here from Springfield Saturday looking after business matters.  
Otis Van Winkle and Newton Woods were visitors from Franklin yesterday.

## L. R. Case of Easton was attending to business matters in the city yesterday.

L. B. Trotter of the northwest part of the county called on city friends yesterday.

## Richard Stanley and Henry Chelliner of Joy Prairie called in the city yesterday.

You will find WEBER'S CHOCOLATES of unvarying high quality, the equal of any you have ever purchased. GILBERT'S PHARMACY.  
R. J. Schilling of Burlington, Ia., was calling on Jacksonville friends yesterday.

## Charles Ranson of the southeast part of the city was a caller in town yesterday.

James Cunningham of the east part of the county was a city caller yesterday.

## John Snyder of Alexander was in the city Saturday trading with local merchants.

William Danby of the west part of the county called on city people yesterday.

## Col. Venny of New York City was in the city Saturday calling on J. Capps & Sons.

Glenn Farmer of Prentice was attending to business matters in the city yesterday.

## Frank Ryan of the vicinity of Franklin was a business caller in the city yesterday.

Mrs. E. M. Chrisman of Merritt was added to the list of city shoppers yesterday.

## Friday evening, State St. Church, Conservatory Orchestra.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Reardon of Manchester were shoppers in the city yesterday.

## R. B. Parker of Rockford was among the business visitors in the city Saturday.

John Weeks of Arenzville was among the business visitors in the city Saturday.

John G. Fernandes of Route No. 8 was a business visitor in Jacksonville Saturday.

A. J. Johnson of Alexander was among the business callers in Jacksonville Saturday.

## SPECIAL SALE on hot WATER BOTTLES this week. Prices \$1 upward. Big values. GILBERT'S PHARMACY.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sayre of Lynnville were added to the list of city callers yesterday.

William Mortimer of the south part of the county called on city people yesterday.

William Hadden of Ebenezer vicinity was added to the list of city arrivals yesterday.

J. D. Weaver was in Eldred, Friday, where he was figuring on a drainage proposition.

## AN ELEGANT LINE OF NEW SPRING AFTERNOON DRESSES, 1916 MODELS, ON SALE NOW AT HERMAN'S.

John H. Holtman of Perryville, Mo., was among the business callers in the city Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Foster of Alexander were transacting business in the city yesterday.

Samuel Story and James J. Lonergan were arrivals in the city yesterday from Murrayville.

John Becker, E. L. Clark and John Anderson were down from Litchfield yesterday.

Bernard Allen, Phil Egan and Clyde Taylor were callers in the city yesterday from Chapin.

Walker Henderson of Arcadia was among the Saturday business callers in Jacksonville.

Wool Blankets and Furs to clear out at a big reduction before inventory.

## FLORETH CO.

C. J. Deppe and Earl Epler expected to enjoy a visit today with some folks in Beardstown.

John H. Holtman of Perryville, Mo., was attending to business matters in the city Saturday.

George Decker, Wade Roach and Jesse Collins were among the Litchfield visitors in the city.

Charles and Henry Strawn and Frank Foster, were all in the city yesterday from Alexander.

Thomas Burns and James K. Cunningham were residents of Murrayville in the city yesterday.

William Story of the south part of the county was attending to business in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Mabel Collins has gone to visit her brother, Frank Nunes of Keokuk, Ia., for a few days.

Walter Beddingfield, John Moss and James Cooper were all in the city yesterday from Concord.

Men's Sleeping Garmen's that will keep you warm these cold nights, are sold by FRANK BYRNS, South Side Square.

Allinson Thomason and Emory Carter of Mt. Zion neighborhood called on city people yesterday.

Prof. Malcolm McNeill of Lake Forest is in the city called by the death of his aunt, Miss Malvina Melendy.

Jacob Strawn Jr. and Benjamin Dye were representatives of the north part of the county in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Buchanan, Benton Buchanan and George Wood helped represent Pisgah in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Alexander, Miss Ollie Ore and Marshall Smith helped represent Concord in the city yesterday.

H. H. DeGrote, Joseph and William DeGrote were in Jacksonville Saturday to meet their cousin, George M. Taapkin of Petersburg, who was on his way to Joy Prairie to make a visit with H. H. DeGrote and family.

## ACCOMPANIED REMAINS OF HUSBAND TO JASPER, MO.

Mrs. Carrie Brown Returns From Sad Mission—Other Manchester News.

Manchester, Jan. 15—Mrs. Carrie Brown has returned from a three weeks' stay in Jasper, Mo. She accompanied the remains of her husband there for burial, etc. 18, and she has since been visiting the son and daughter there. Mrs. Brown is housekeeper for Mrs. Mary McPherson.

Mrs. F. F. Clark visited last week with her mother, Mrs. Vaniter, in Chapin.

## Parents of Twins.

Twins, a boy and a girl, were born to Dr. and Mrs. Ed Crum in Palmyra Sunday, Jan. 9th. The family formerly resided here.

J. H. Langdon shipped out a car load of hogs from here Friday night.

## Mrs. Polly Long Ill.

The condition of Mrs. Polly Long does not improve. She is very low with pneumonia at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Willis Grey, west of town. Mr. Grey is down with typhoid fever also.

Mrs. Nancy Moore, aged 94 years, is able to be up again after a week's illness from lagrippe.

Dick Sloan, who is connected with the Chicago Portrait Co., spent a few days this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Sloan. He has been in the east for more than a year working New York and New Jersey for the company.

L. B. Sturgeon was called to the southern part of the state this week to see his father, who is sick.

N. M. Antrobus is engaged in a series of meetings in the Baptist church in Nebo. He is the local pastor in that place.

## RUSSELL IS SAFE.

Rock Island, Ill., Jan. 15—Relatives here today received a message from the American Matai and Refining Co. of Chihuahua, Mexico, stating that John Russell of this city, an engineer for that concern thought to have been killed by native with other Americans, had escaped and was safe in the mountains as a member of a surveying party.

## Floreth Co.'s GREAT 15-DAY JANUARY SALE Goes on All Thru This Week

This Sale means clear out goods at cost and less than we can get our stock reduced to a minimum before our Annual Inventory FEB. FIRST.

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## MELENDY FUNERAL MONDAY.

The funeral of Miss Malvina Melendy will be held at the residence 211 North Prairie street, Monday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock. The Rev. A. B. Morey will be in charge. Burial will be made in Diamond Grove cemetery.

John Stice of Prentice was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

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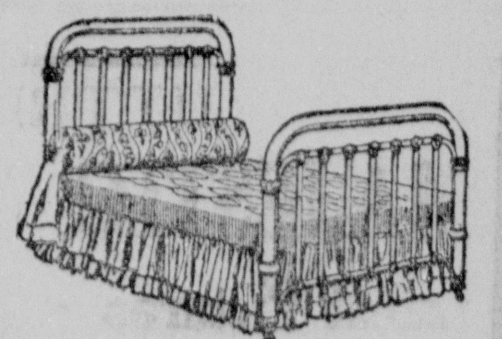
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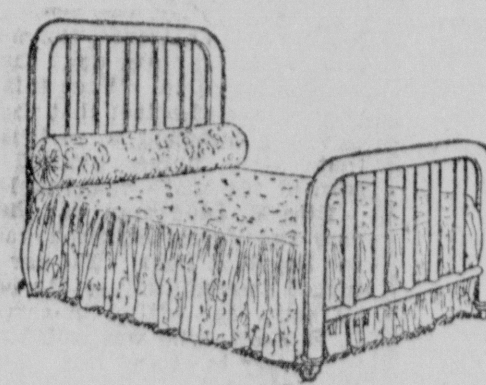
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# MARRIAGE OF RALPH A. WITHEE SATURDAY EVENING AT OTTAWA

Wedding of Former Resident of Jacksonville and Miss Elizabeth Pyle of Ottawa is Solemnized in Quiet Manner at Home of Minister.

Ralph A. Withee and Miss Elizabeth Pyle of Ottawa were quietly married Saturday evening at eight o'clock at the residence of an Ottawa minister and expected to leave soon thereafter for Chicago on a brief honeymoon tour. The secret of the expected marriage was not until after the hour set for the ceremony that definite announcement was made.

Mr. and Mrs. Withee expect to return to Ottawa next week and take up permanent residence.

Both in Jacksonville and Ottawa Mr. Withee has many friends and the nuptials will be the occasion of unnumbered words of congratulation. Mr. Withee is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Withee, 1107 South Clay avenue, and was reared in this city. He was at one time on the editorial staff of the Daily Journal. For ten years he has been in the employ of

John Cherry and as bookkeeper, foreman, or in whatever capacity he may have served, has shown a high degree of ability and judgment. He possesses an accurate knowledge of contract paving work as well as rare facility in applying his knowledge.

Mrs. Withee is the daughter of Mrs. William C. Pyle and was reared in the city of Ottawa. She secured her education there and has for several years been employed as a bookkeeper by the grocery firm of Chas. Geiger & Co. Her friends were not aware of the nearness of the wedding and it was not until Friday that she resigned her position. She met Mr. Withee several months since when the latter was in charge of pavement work in Ottawa and the friendship thus formed terminated in a most happy manner.

## EXCLUDED FROM COUNTRY.

New York, Jan. 15.—Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst, the British suffrage leader, who was detained at Ellis Island when she arrived today on the Steamship St. Paul, was ordered excluded from this country by the special board of inquiry which sat at immigration station today. An appeal has been made to Washington, and Mrs. Pankhurst in on parole.

# EXPLOSION ON U.S. DIVER KILLS FOUR

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source of trouble since the vessel was first commissioned.

Name Special Board of Inquiry. Washington, Jan. 15.—What caused the explosion today on the submarine E-2 at the New York navy yard with loss of life and serious damage to the vessel, probably will not be known definitely until the special board of naval officers appointed tonight to investigate has completed its inquiry. From first reports, saying that the new Edison storage batteries in the E-2 were being recharged at the time of the accident it was concluded by navy department officials that hydrogen gas had ignited but later official information that the batteries were being discharged instead, upset that theory. A comparatively small quantity of hydrogen gas is generated by a storage battery in process of discharge. The department's experts on submarine construction said they knew of only two possible causes of the explosion aside from the possible ignition of hydrogen gas. While highly improbable, they said, it was possible there had been an explosion of the oil used to drive the surface engines. There never has been an accident of that character even with boats operated by gasoline, a far more explosive liquid than the heavy oil used to run the E-2's engines. The second possibility they said, was that an air flask had exploded. Flasks which furnish the motive power of a torpedo, carry a pressure of 20 pounds to the square inch, while the flasks used to store air for the boat while submerged carry much less pressure.

The fact that the victims of the explosion were badly burned appeared to disprove that possibility. It also was pointed out that the explosion of an air flask probably would drive pieces of metal thru the top or sides of the boat which was not the case. There has never been such an accident in the navy.

Too Early to State Cause. "It is too early," said Acting Secretary Roosevelt, "to state definitely the cause of the explosion, although, of course, the fact that it occurred under the battery deck, which means in the compartment in which the batteries were stored, would seem to indicate an explosion of hydrogen gas. Some experiments made by the bureau of steam engineering with the Edison batteries led the department to take unusual steps to ascertain whether hydrogen gas in any considerable quantities was given off by the Edison battery while it was being discharged, which, of course, is their condition when used to run the boat during submergence and Mr. A. E. Davidson, an expert analyst of air made elaborate tests during a six hour submerged run of this boat. He reported that the hydrogen gas given off while the batteries were being discharged was infinitesimal. In view of this it is difficult to see how a gas explosion could have been the cause and we must await further investigation.

# SPRINGFIELD WINS FROM JACKSONVILLE

Score Was a Tie at End of First Half, and Game Ended 28 to 21.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 15.—Springfield high school won over Jacksonville high 28 to 21 here tonight. The work of Dunne at running guard and Elson at center were responsible for the victory, both men playing a star game in breaking up Jacksonville's plays when they were about to result in scores.

The first half ended in a tie score. In the second half Springfield's attack was so fierce that the Jacksonville boys were unable to stop scoring.

# FRONT OF CAR DEMOLISHED IN COLLISION WITH WAGON.

No One Is Injured in Accident on West State Street Saturday Evening.

The delivery wagon of Boxell & Sons and Car No. 30, west bound collided with considerable force Saturday evening shortly after 8 o'clock on West State street near Fayette and the horse was injured neither driver nor motorman suffered bruise or scratch. The front glass on the car was shattered, the controller was knocked over and the braces were smashed in. When this is considered and the fact that the wagon was not damaged to serious extent that the horse escaped death, seemed the more remarkable.

Otto H. Lindeman was the motorman and Forest Harrison was driver for Boxell & Sons. The car was returned immediately to the barn and an extra car placed in service. Dr. C. E. Scott, who was called to Cherry's livery to attend the horse, found the animal to be suffering from a slight concussion of the brain and injuries about the legs.

Stories conflict as to the manner of the accident's occurrence. A Western Union messenger who was but a few rods away says the warning bell and crash sounded in quick succession. The vehicle and car were going in opposite directions, and it is thought the rear wheel of the wagon became caught in such a manner that the driver could not turn out.

Miss Bertha Daggett returned Saturday to her home in the Point neighborhood after a visit of two weeks in the city.

Miss Ruth H. Brown is spending the day with friends in Springfield.

## INTEREST IS NOT PAID.

Chicago, Jan. 15.—Interest due today on \$20,000,000 Rock Island debenture five per cent bonds was not paid. Under the terms of the bonds sixty days is allowed in which to pay the interest after it becomes due.

# INTERCLASS BASKET BALL GAMES PLAYED

WINCHESTER TEAMS OF HIGH SCHOOL HOLD TOURNAMENT

Sophomore Girls Win From Freshmen Girls in First Game—Ellis Roush, Veteran Barber Dies at Age of One Hundred Years—Real Estate Transfers—Personal Mention.

Inter-class basketball games held the boards last night in the Winchester high school and the contests between the high school and the first game played by the girls the sophomores won from the freshman by a score of 10 to 4. The lineup follows:

Freshmen—Allen Cohagen, center; Miller Weeder, Frances Peak, forward; guards, Winona Hill and Edith Montgomery.

Sophomores—Ruth Coultas, center and forward; Charlotte Chance and Helen McLaughlin, guards; Frances Northrup, guard.

The game between the sophomores and the old high school team ended in a victory for the regulars, the score being 10 to 12. When time was called the score was tied. The high school lineup follows: Maurine Mader, center; Edith Watt, Mildred Funk, guards; Winnie Pieper and Frances Vortman, forwards.

In the game between the sophomore boys and the regular high school team, the high school won by a score of 14 to 13. The lineup follows:

High school—L. E. Griner, center; Wayne Hill, Albert Barkley, forwards; Wayne Fletcher and Lee Murphy, guards.

Sophomores—Cecil Brown, center; Irwin Knapu, Guy Overton and Jesse Evans, guards; Earl Lashmet and Glenn Overton, forwards.

## Dies at Age of 100 Years.

Ellis Roush, a veteran barber of Scott county, died Friday afternoon at the county farm at the age of 100 years. He was a former slave in Tennessee and came to Winchester about forty years ago. He was at one time associated in business with Samuel Egleston on the south side of the square. The funeral was held Saturday morning at 10 o'clock.

Personal Mention. Miss Anna Nieman arrived from Naples Friday for a short visit with relatives.

Mrs. Ruth Markillie is here from Manchester for a visit with relatives. Mrs. George Hawk of Alsey was a shopper in the city Saturday.

C. D. Hubbell of Alsey was transacting business here Saturday.

## Returns From Hospital.

Sylvester Groce returned Friday from Jacksonville, where he has been taking treatment in Passavant hospital.

Miss Mae George, a teacher near Chapin was in Winchester Saturday afternoon enroute to her home in Alton.

Mrs. John Hawk of Merritt is visiting at the home of Samuel Trickey and daughter.

Mrs. Henry Cumby and Mrs. George Wills of Alsey were visitors in Winchester yesterday.

Miss Mary Trickey is detained at home by illness.

## Real Estate Transfers.

The following real estate transfers have been recorded the past week:

Sallie A. Dawson to Lura I. Lankford, part of east 1-2, northeast 1-4, Winchester, \$700.

Levi Atkins to Carrie P. Quintal, lot 1, block 5, Naples, \$600.

Esther Davis to Jas. T. Wilson, southeast 1-4, southeast 1-4, sections 28,33, township 14, range 13.

Charles Oakes to Henry P. Wolford, lots 20 and 21, Chas. Oakes' third addition to Bluffs, \$500.

A. J. Lester to A. E. Savole, lots 1 and 2, block 2, Naples, \$60.

Jas. Balding to L. L. Grable, parcel of land in Naples, \$155.40.

Chas. A. Bloyd to Jas. Maines, lot 12, original Bluffs, \$400.

John G. Tomhave to Emma Tomhave, 45 acres north end west 1-2, southwest 1-4, sec. 17, tp. 15, range 12, \$4920.

Sallie A. Dawson to Rose M. Dunn, parcel of land in Winchester, \$1350.

## Eastern Star Installs.

Winchester Chapter No. 644, O. E. S., at the regular bi-monthly meeting had the annual ceremonies for the installation of officers for the ensuing year, the following being installed: Mrs. M. L. McDonough, W. M.; C. A. Sibert, W. P.; Miss Shirley Henderson, Assistant M.; Miss Lillian Sibert, Conductress; Mrs. W. L. Bagshaw, Assistant Conductress; Miss Ruth Prior, Secretary; Mrs. P. R. Nelson, Chaplain; Miss Margaret Priest, Marshal; Miss Belle Henderson, Organist; Miss Sybil Smith, Adah; Miss Margaret Brengle, Ruth; Mrs. H. H. Flecher, Esther; Miss Floy Nelson, Martha; Miss M. Louise Frost, Electa; Mrs. Sol Hainsfurther, Warden; Dr. M. L. McDonough, Sentinel.

E. C. Nelson, Past W. P., acted as installing officer and Mrs. Sol Hainsfurther as installing marshal. The new officers are enthusiastic and a prosperous year for the "Star" is predicted.

## WEATHER STOPS DRILLING.

The cold weather has put a stop to the drilling of the deep well at Virginia, Ill. The people of that town are very anxious to get an adequate supply of good water and the men in charge of the drilling say that the work will be started again as soon as the weather permits.

## Grippe Paralyzes Mail Service.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 15.—The grippe paralyzed mail service at Clinton, northeast of here today when all the regular and three substitute mail carriers were confined to their beds with the disease. Citizens were forced to call at the office for mail.



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## ENDORSE SECRETARY LANE.

San Francisco, Jan. 15.—A telegram was sent to Washington today notifying President Wilson that the San Francisco Bar Association had endorsed Franklin K. Lane, secretary of the interior, for the vacancy on the supreme court bench and urging his appointment.

## LITERBERRY VISITORS

Among the visitors in the city yesterday from Litterberry were Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Crum, Mrs. Talmadge Crum, Mrs. Oscar Petefish, Miss Evalde Petefish, Howard Litter and Miss Thelma Litter.

## TINKER DENIES REPORT.

Chicago, Jan. 15.—Manager Tinker, of the Chicago Nationals today denied that Johnny Evers, second baseman of the Boston Nationals was coming back to play with the Chicago team.

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TUESDAY

CHRISTMAS MEMORIES—A Yuletide drama in 3 parts, featuring Robert Leonard and Ella Hall.

WEDNESDAY

FROM BEANERY TO BILLIONS—An amusing comedy in 2 parts, featuring Alice Howell and Dick Smith.

THURSDAY

ONE HUNDRED YEARS AGO—A great romance in 2 parts, in which romantic hearts conquer family pride and overcome obdurate fathers, featuring Rupert Julian and Dorothy Davenport.

FRIDAY

GRAFT, Episode No. 6—in 2 parts, featuring Harry D. Carey and Jane Novak.

THE TALE OF THE C—A comedy drama in 3 parts, featuring Mary Fuller and Paul Panzier.

SATURDAY

WHEN ROGUES FALL OUT—An absorbing story in 3 parts, of the struggle for the franchise of a new railway line, featuring Helen Holmes.

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Six Panel Mirrors, plate glass with picture in top. Frame 8 x 20 inches. **TO CLOSE OUT**

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One Mahogany 3 piece Suite (Rocker, Settee and Chair), Genuine Leather upholstery, finest quality workmanship and material. Regular \$50.00 value. **TO CLOSE**

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## Some Topics of the Farm

### IMPURITIES IN WHEAT SHOWN BY EXPERIMENTS

Rye, Corn Cockle, Kinghead, and Vetch Frequently Cause Loss to the Farmer.

The weekly crop news letter issued by the agricultural department at Washington presents the results of experiments related to impurities in wheat.

The results of recent tests by the department indicate that the presence in wheat of more than 2 per cent of what are known to millers as "inseparable impurities" lessens the value of the wheat for milling and baking purposes. This fact has been recognized in general commercial practice, for wheat containing a noticeable amount of impurities brings a lower price per bushel than other wheat.

The experiments conducted by the department are discussed in detail in Bulletin 328. They included tests of the effect of rye, kinghead, corn cockle, and wild vetch seed in wheat in various quantities. Of these substances, rye occurs the most frequently, being found in 83 per cent of the samples of hard winter wheat examined by the investigators and in 25 per cent of the spring wheat. In one instance a farmer's wheat crop contained 14.3 per cent of rye. On this account the farmer received 8 cents less per bushel than the normal price.

In regard to the quantity of rye necessary to exert an injurious effect upon the quality of wheat, there is a difference of opinion among millers. Some believe that when the percentage of rye is less than 5, the flour or bread is not noticeably affected, while others have held that 2 per cent is objectionable. The government investigators found that 2 per cent or more of rye is sufficient to lower the quality of the bread.

In a considerable percentage of the wheat samples examined, the presence of rye was said to be due probably to the fact that the seed used in sowing the wheat contained rye. It is not infrequent for rye to scatter during harvest and to produce in this way a volunteer crop. If wheat is sown on land which was planted in rye the previous season, this volunteer crop of rye is harvested with the wheat. Partial winter-killing of the wheat increases the percentage of the rye, because the latter grain is not so susceptible to winterkilling as the former.

Corn cockle, although less frequent in wheat than rye, has a more injurious effect. The presence of even 1 per cent of this weed seed in wheat is likely to lower the price to the farmer, and certainly lowers the baking quality of the flour. Corn cockle is an exceedingly prolific annual weed, a single plant having been known to yield as high as 2,500 seed. Furthermore, this seed is of such shape and size that it is difficult to separate it from the wheat. The weed is widely distributed over the United States and is especially abundant in sections producing soft red winter, spring, and durum wheat. Every farmer, therefore, should strive to prevent its obtaining a foothold on his farm.

Corn cockle seed is particularly objectionable in wheat because it contains a poisonous element known as saponin or sapotoxin. This has been found at times to do considerable injury to young chickens and stock when fed wheat screenings. Of the other impurities examined, kinghead, sometimes known as great ragweed, is frequently found in wheat in quantities as high as 3 or 4 per cent. Under such circumstances the flour contains black specks and the color and texture of the bread are seriously affected. Even as small an amount as 1 per cent of kinghead seed is noticeable in flour. Vetch seed also alters the color of the flour, giving it a yellowish appearance as well as a noticeable odor of vetch.

As has already been stated, the

presence of any one of these impurities is very likely to reduce the price the farmer receives for his wheat. Not only is the price per bushel usually less, but there may also be a "dockage" charge. Dockage is a trade term for the amount deducted on account of the presence of foreign material from the gross weight of the wheat. For example, if a load of 50 bushels of wheat is found to contain 2 pounds of foreign matter per bushel, 100 pounds is deducted from the lot for "dockage". The owner is paid, not for 50 bushels, but for 50 bushels less 100 pounds or 48 bushels and 20 pounds of wheat.

### Randolph County Will Have County Advisor.

The first county in Southern Illinois to make a systematic campaign with a view to securing a county advisor is Randolph.

During the past few weeks a canvass of the county has been made to determine what the attitude of its most representative farmers was toward the matter of taking up the county agricultural advisor work.

In order to get the information regarding this work before the people of the county in a more accurate manner a series of nine meetings, to be held at various points throughout the county during the week of January 10-15 was arranged.

A final county-wide meeting with a special program was arranged for Saturday, January 15th, at Springfield. In addition to representatives from the State Leader's office, county advisors and others interested in the placing of an advisor in the county, it is expected that the Honorable Carl S. Vrooman, Assistant Secretary of Agriculture, will appear on the program of this county wide meeting.

So far all of the counties taking up this work have located in northern and central Illinois. The fact that the years 1913 and especially 1914, have been very bad years for the farmers of southern Illinois has considerably handicapped this work in getting started in the southern portion of the state. It is expected, however, that at least two or three counties in this section of the state will take up the work during the next six months and with these as a nucleus it is hoped that the interest in the whole movement will be very much stimulated throughout all of southern Illinois.

### How to Measure Bulk Ear Corn.

Iven Wood, a first class authority on such subjects, says the following is a simple and easy way in which to ascertain the number of bushels of ear corn in a pen or crib. Get the dimensions in solid feet; that is, multiply length, breadth and height together. If the number be feet and inches reduce the inches to fraction of a foot and proceed. Then multiply the number of solid feet by four and divide by nine and you will have the dimensions in bushels.

Suppose the measurements are all even feet it is simple and easy. Take for instance a crib eight by ten by five feet high. Eight multiplied by ten and that product by five gives 400. Multiply that by four and divide that by nine and you have the number of bushels in the crib, 177 7-9 bushels. Where the numbers are fractional, that is, where the sides are in dimensions of feet and inches, it takes a little longer but is still much shorter than to reduce the whole to cubic inches and divide by 3588.

### Successful Cow Sale.

The sale of twenty-three cows yesterday by F. M. Morton & Co., was successful, the bidding being spirited. The cows came from Tennessee, and were brought by F. M. Morton & Co. They were mostly Jerseys and good animals and went to buyers near home, some to Alexander, some to Murrayville and others nearer by. The highest price was \$89.50 and the lowest \$48.00, with an average of about \$60.00. Ted Cox was the auctioneer and R. R. Stevenson clerk.

### GOLF ENTHUSIASTS WILL HOLD MEETING MONDAY NIGHT

Will Discuss Plans for Enlarging and Bettering Golf Course.

A public meeting of persons interested in golf has been called for the reception room at the racoon inn Monday night at 8 o'clock. The purpose of the meeting is to talk over golf plans for the coming season. Sometime since the park board determined to set aside \$500 for a golf course at the park if those especially interested in the game would raise an equal sum. The board also granted authority to use land on both sides of the lake for links. The six-hole course which was in use last season covered a distance of 2,700 yards. The course in mind would cross the lake three times and would be a course with strong appeal to players. With a nine-hole course covering such an amount of territory, golf facilities would be vastly improved and it would be possible for a much larger number of players to take part. Last summer the interest was even greater than expected and because of the shortness of the course, players were compelled to wait for hours before they would have an opportunity to get on the links. The committee which has called the meeting consists of F. E. Farrell, J. W. Dunbar and T. J. Brennan. This committee having been designated by the park board to take the matter up. Prior to this meeting, stockholders of the Jacksonville Country club will hold their annual meeting for the election of officers.

J. A. Weeks of Arenzville was added to the list of arrivals in the city yesterday.

### HENRY HERING APPOINTED NATIONAL DEPUTY OF EAGLES

Is Named to Important Office by Grand Worthy President Grayson.

Worthy State President Frank U. Correa of the Illinois State Aerie Fraternity Order of Eagles was notified yesterday by Grand Worthy President Wm. L. Grayson of Savannah, Ga., that he had named Henry Hering of Jacksonville aerie his commission as one of the four national deputies for the state of Illinois. The appointment of Mr. Hering of the local aerie by the grand worthy president is the result of special effort by State President Correa, and the local aerie is proud of the honors they have received. For the first time in its history it has a representative of the national order. Mr. Hering has a host of friends in the city and is receiving many congratulations. He is highly esteemed in his aerie, a faithful worker, having gone through all the chairs.

A jubilee meeting will be held next Wednesday evening in Mr. Hering's honor. Grand Worthy President Wm. L. Grayson's appointments of grand deputies for Illinois are: District No. 1—W. J. Powers, Chicago aerie, 19. District No. 2—Henry Hering, Jacksonville aerie. District No. 3—M. J. McCabe, Springfield aerie. District No. 4—Joe Rizzio, Staunton aerie. The state deputies appointed by State President Frank Correa are: Frank Sullivan (Garfield Park aerie) Chicago. P. W. Coleman, Bloomington. M. J. McCabe, Springfield. Edward Zaugg, Alton.

Thomas Langdon of Murrayville had business in the city yesterday.

# BOYS' PANTS

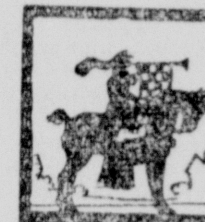
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### CORN TO BE KING IN THE NORTHWEST

Walla Walla Show Demonstrates New Possibilities For The Great Cereal.

That corn will soon come into its own as an important crop in the Great Pacific Northwest is the opinion of those who attended the Corn Show which has just been held in Walla Walla, Wash., under the auspices of the Walla Walla Commercial Club and the Union Pacific System.

Last season corn stood at the bottom of the lists of great agricultural products in both Oregon and Washington, but the promoters of the show and visitors who saw the quality of the exhibits, believe that corn will climb the column, just as it has in many southern states and will add enormously to the wealth of this already rich region.

The show opened with a rousing street parade headed by the officials of the city and participated in by nearly all of its business men, each carrying a corn stalk fourteen feet high. The several divisions supported large banners decorated with corn and declaring that "Corn is King." The great enthusiasm of the occasion was due both to Walla Walla's discovery of her importance in this industry and the wide spread interest and friendly rivalry of the producers in their efforts to win the prizes.

Two hundred exhibits from a radius of many hundred miles were entered and the expert judges, many of whom had served in a like capacity in the great corn belt of the Middle West, declared that they had never seen anything to equal it. They united in declaring it the greatest object lesson in the north-west.

Exhibits came from all parts of the inland Empire. They included all of the standard varieties of corn and displayed grades of perfection not surpassed in any corn growing section of the United States. Even the promoters were amazed at the extent and excellency of the exhibits and the very general interest aroused.

The show was transferred to Portland, Oregon for a week and the exhibition was attended by a variety of demonstrations and entertainments.

### COUNTY DIRECTORY

A directory of Sangamon county printed for Messrs. Moore & Winters is just off the press. The book is one of more than 300 pages and gives an accurate list of the farmers of Sangamon county together with some information about their farms and work. Mr. Moore was interested in the compilation of the Morgan county directory and has now entered upon the publishing business in a permanent way.

Samuel Dinwiddie, Willard Young Jr. and S. H. and Albert Crum were all down to the city yesterday from Litchberry.

Howard Henley of Tallula was a visitor yesterday with city people.

### AN HONORABLE CAREER.

J. F. Claus, Almost a Quarter of a Century in the Trade Makes a Change.

Reference to another column will disclose the news of an important business change in one of the well established houses in the city. J. F. Claus having severed his connection with the tea and coffee house with which he has so long been associated. Mr. Claus began in an humble way 24 years ago in a room the second north of North Mainville street in the opera house building and by a studious attention to business and strictly upright manner of dealing he built up a large and profitable business. It was always known that goods from his establishment were strictly as represented and would be made so and as he increased his lines he added to the stock till today it is not inferior to any.

For 22 years he has occupied the room on West State street in the Ayers block and there the business will be continued.

A few years ago he associated with him in an incorporated company C. E. Cully and W. W. Schrag and to them he has disposed of his interest in the store and will devote himself solely to the automobile business. He handles one of the standard cars, the Overland, so deservedly popular, and will doubtless make the same success in that business as he has in the other.

Messrs. Cully and Schrag are first class young men and will carry on the tea and coffee trade in the same excellent manner in which it has been conducted in the past.

### PLAN FOR ANNUAL GOOD ROADS BANQUET

Committee Is Named to Make Arrangements for Event—Road Commissioners and Clerk Hold Meeting.

A meeting of the Morgan County Association of Road Commissioners and Clerks was held Saturday afternoon at the courthouse to consider plans for the annual banquet. After some consideration it was determined to refer the matter to a committee which will act in conjunction with the department of rural affairs of the Chamber of Commerce. F. J. Hebl, chairman of the department, attended the meeting to signify the desire of the Chamber of Commerce to work in conjunction with the association in preparation for the banquet. The committee appointed includes A. W. Jewsbury, A. L. French, Thomas Irlam, John Stice and L. B. Trotter. This committee has full authority to secure a speaker and to make any other necessary arrangements. The banquets the past two or three years have been very largely attended and the influences which have resulted from the addresses and discussion on these occasions have had much to do with improving road conditions in the county.

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## SPORTS HERE AND THERE

Word comes to us that the famous leaving track in Massachusetts was sold for taxes a few days ago. This track was in the grand circuit and was famous for many records being set by grand circuit trotters and pacers. The sale of this track brings to mind the fact that while horses are high and the good ones bring as high, if not higher prices, than ever before the racing game seems to be slowly dying. The Grand Circuit is tightening up and where twenty-five years ago a city was willing to give almost anything to get into the circuit, today it is difficult to hold those that are in.

This brings to mind the decay of racing in the smaller cities. Time was when nearly every county seat in Illinois had a county fair. They were for the most part good ones. The cities that don't have fairs had good race meetings and they were successful too. The little city of Rockton was a good example of the racing game. It used to have a good race every year and some of the best races in this section were pulled out on the Rockton track.

For many years Jacksonville had a reputation for having one of the best county fairs in the United States. In the days when it was at the zenith of its glory purses of \$500 were given for races. At one time we remember that over 200 horses were entered in the various races. Then an admission fee of fifty cents was charged and season tickets were sold to farmers for \$2. The season ticket admitted all of the family except married children. We have seen an attendance of over 20,000 people at a Morgan county fair on Thursday, the big day, and correspondingly large crowds during the other days.

It is difficult to give a reason why county fairs have died out. One reason advanced here, and it probably has a great deal of foundation, was the reduction of the admission fee to twenty-five cents and the reduction of purses from \$500 to \$300. This seemed to cheapen the fair and there is no doubt but that the quality of horses entered deteriorated. Another thing that caused the county fair to pass out of existence was the prohibiting of selling pools on the races. No one would or a minute argue that betting is right or legal. The fact remains, however, that there is a gambling instinct in the average American citizen. This is especially true of horse race and most men did not enjoy a race unless they had a few dollars in the pool box. The kernel of the Morgan county fair was rung when the sheriff went to the fair ground on a big day and brought "Silver Bill" Riley, the bookmaker and his assistants down town and fined them. This put a damper on the fair and it began to slip until finally it went out of existence.

Sporting scribes throughout the country are having a lot of fun with Percy Haughton's name. They can't get over it, a baseball man being named Percy. Some of them are of the opinion that it should be Mike or Bill. However that may be we are of the opinion that both baseball players and win all but five games in as many years must have the stuff even if his front name is Percy or Harold. The latest one to be sprung is that Percy wears a wrist watch. That should not be held against him. Some men could wear corsets and still hold their own among men. We know lots of men, real men, who wear wrist watches. For instance there is H. E. Chubbuck, vice president executive of the Illinois Traction system. We have seen Mr. Chubbuck with a wrist watch. It saves him many minutes of time that is valuable. Those who have heard Mr. Chubbuck express himself under stress know that the language he uses doesn't ordinarily go with the accepted idea of a man who wears a wrist watch. No read the stuff even if his front name is named Percy and wears a wrist watch he is not a live wire. We imagine Mr. Haughton will be a dominating factor in the baseball world as he has in the business, and football world.

We learn that the Giants seek ten Feds. Aside from one or two players it looked last season like McGraw needed about that many to get back on the baseball map.

Can you fancy Lee Magee being worth over \$20,000 in the baseball market. We remember in 1907 when he was with Ned Egan's Burlington team he had a difficult time holding his job. Magee was then hitting right handed. He was a great fielder then but a punk hitter. Toward the last of the season he moved to the other side of the plate. His hitting began to improve and he went to the coast the next year and he went so good that he came back to the big show. He didn't stick the first year but was farmed to Louisville. Later he went back to the Cardinals and was placed in the outfield and also played first and second base. He continued to develop and last year played at second for the Brooklyn Feds. Magee is a great ball player. In fact many critics claim he is a more valuable man than Benzy Kauff, who was called the Ty Cobb of the Feds. The price that Stengel is holding Magee at is \$22,500 and he comes as near being worth it as any man in the business.

Much noise is now being made about the Willard Mason fight. Mr. Willard has been selling his knowledge of physical culture to newspapers and in the pictures displayed

each week he looks to be in the pink of condition. This must be a mistake and evidently Mr. Willard has become so fat sitting at his desk writing his heavy articles that he can't get into condition in less than six months. Willard now says he can't fight in March. Many people are of the opinion that he can't fight in any other month either.

We never could see the present crop of heavyweights. Time was when the heavy weights were the best men in the ring. They had science and in addition could hit and were willing to fight. We imagine that a fight between Willard and Moran would be about as graceful a looking spectacle as a couple of elephants trying to waltz. These of you who have seen elephants perform such stunts in a circus know how graceful that is. We would rather see a bout between two small men any time than a heavyweight match, especially between the present day heavies.

It takes almost as much persuasion to get a couple of the present day heavies to fight as it does to get a comic opera star to sign a contract. We can't imagine them doing what Sullivan had Kilrain did down south when they were chased across two or three states before they were finally able to fight. We can't imagine them doing what Fitzsimmons and Maher did when they were chased up and down both sides of the Rio Grande river and finally fought on an island in the middle of the river. Nor can we imagine them doing what Jack Dempsey and Johnny Reagan did one time when the water came up in the ring and got so deep that they had to stop the fight and pitch the ring on higher ground. These men fought for a purse that would not equal the training expense of a present day fighter. Now they want to fight on brussels carpet and have lounges to lie on between rounds.

New York, January—According to Percy Haughton, the Harvard football coach, the success of the Crimson eleven on the gridiron in recent years has been due almost entirely to the use of common sense and the efficiency in the training, coaching and comparing of the players as individuals and the eleven as a unit. In describing the system, Haughton said recently:

"Our offensive and defensive methods were based upon an application of the German system of salesmanship. As I understand it, the Germans never try to sell in a new territory whatever they happen to have on hand. Instead, they ascertain what is needed, and manufacture exactly what is wanted, and, of course, more cheaply than their competitors. So with our football problem. We learned in a general way what our opponents were going to do in the offense and we met it with different defenses. Each of these defenses was planned to meet a certain end of play under certain conditions and the team was so thoroughly versed in what to expect from its opponents that in the great majority of cases it used the proper defense against any given play.

"On the offense we studied our opponents' defensive methods and proceeded against their weakest point, varying this principle by proceeding to attack the weak spot and developing toward what, without the race, was theoretically a strong territory.

"Each year we have found it necessary to change the crux of our offense to meet existing conditions. Now these methods are not simply the result of what we have learned during the past eight years. On the contrary, they are the accumulation of a hundred tactical games working back to the time of Lewis and Clark. From their we learned that to beat Yale it was necessary to out-fight them. From Sam Cowles, who coached in '94 and '95, we learned that in order to out-fight them it was necessary to have eleven men to use to do it; and from Bill Reid, who coached in 1891, '92 and '93 we learned the invaluable lesson of paying strict attention to the smallest detail."

The inability of Scotty Allen to reach Nome, Alaska, in time to participate in the famous Nome-to-Catadoc-Nome dog race will not take far northern sports classic or one of the most picturesque characters of the annual event. Allen has just returned from France where he delivered more than four hundred sleigh dogs to the French army for use in winter warfare. In order to reach Nome in time for the races scheduled for April 15 would be necessary for Allen to make a dog team trip of more than fifteen miles in zero temperature with the possibility of being delayed indefinitely by heavy snow storms which sometimes rage for days on a stretch.

Allen has always been a factor in the annual All-Alaska Sweepstakes, the biggest dog race of the year, having repeatedly won or finished among the first three. When his team won the race in 1909 the prize money wages him more than \$20,000. A year later John Jones, driving a team of Siberian wolf dogs, set a new record for the 412 mile course of 714, 14m, 28s., and these figures still stand. Alho Allen won the 1912 event he was unable to lower the time due to the blinding snow storms which prevailed during the race.

The later's disappointment at being unable to try for the sweepstakes and a new record this year will be eased to some extent by his profits in the deal which involved supplying France with a large number of dog teams. While the exact terms of the sale are not known it is understood that the 400 dogs, harness and sleighs brought more than \$80,000 on which there was the usual war order profit.

Reports from Australia are to the effect that Les Darcy, the sensational middleweight, is not likely to visit this country in the near future owing to the ruling which provides that men eligible for the army cannot leave

the commonwealth at this time. Darcy may yet be called upon to don a uniform and fight in Europe or Egypt and unless a special dispensation is granted him there is little chance of his boxing for some time outside of Australia.

## CHICAGO AUTOMOBILE SHOW PROMISES TO BE GREATEST

Is pictured as Three Million Dollar Show Window of a Monster Industry.

American mechanical genius in its most brilliant and enterprising developments in the automobile industry will be framed in the mystic beauties of the dreamy Orient when the world's greatest motor car exhibition opens in the Coliseum, Chicago, Saturday, Jan. 22. The 16th annual National Automobile Show by all portents will be the most prosperous and best attended industrial display outside a world's fair in this country's history. Oddly enough, this ultra-modern and progressive assemblage of motored marvels will have for its scenic setting a Japanese garden, artificial yet as entrancing as the richest estates in the Mikado's realm.

The National Automobile Show, which will extend from January 22 to 29 inclusive, will be a \$3,000,000 show window of the colossal industry. Actually the value of its glistening exhibits, from huge touring cars to accessory models of the most intricate nature, as yet defies accurate estimate. From the cornucopia of America's abounding prosperity will pour a rushing stream of dollars, accompanied by orders for automobiles in car and trailer lots to meet the whole country's insatiable demand for more cars, new cars and better cars of every recognized make and design.

So vast was the commercial success of the recent New York automobile show that wonderful things are counted upon for its "big brother" the Chicago show, which draws its patronage not merely from sections of the country but from the entire continent westward to the Pacific. A buying brigade of about 1,000 dealers will gather in Chicago for the property event, and about 10,000 more visitors, welcomed as of the genus customer. The exhibitors, carmen and high grade mechanics, will number about 2,700 more.

But these groups will not complete the visiting army in Chicago during automobile show week. Hotel men conservatively estimate the out-of-town attendance at 500,000, including representatives of associated industries, newspaper men and others, and the week will be the time for shopping excursions for the women folk of thousands of motor car men.

About 34,000 square feet will be covered by exhibits in the four structures embraced in the National Automobile show grouping the Coliseum, Coliseum Annex, 1st Regiment Armory and Greer Building. A new type of effectual shelter corridor will connect the Coliseum and armory. This year there will be three "main entrances" instead of two, for in connection the Coliseum and armory, portals, there will be doorways and a box office at the Greer building. The latter entrance will be used, more particularly by the exhibitors and their attaches.

The list of complete car builders with displays at the Chicago show now numbers 85 in the oil motor column. Seven makers of electric cars will exhibit. Forty-eight new exhibitors of accessories were allotted space this year, and the total number of accessory exhibits now exceeds 200. In the progress of National Automobile shows from year to year it is interesting to note that the displays in the 1st Regiment Armory are now so thoroughly in the public's eye that the building no longer partakes of an "annex" relationship to the Wabash avenue structures.

The general effect of the decorative scheme selected by Manager Samuel A. Miles is that of a park in Tokyo, replete with monumental fountains, quaint towers, pagodas and lovely examples of Japanese art. The color scheme will offer a dazzling combination of blues, pinks, yellows and whites, and it will be "cherry blossom time" with a great profusion of artificial flowers.

## ILLINOIS COLLEGE NOTES

The regular college devotional service will be held at Academy hall Sunday evening at 6:30. Edward M. Bullard will be the leader of the services. The girls of Academy hall are planning to serve supper Sunday evening at 5:30 to all students who are regular attendants at these services.

Professor J. Griffith Ames, head of the English department, gave a very interesting talk in Chapel Tuesday morning on "The Benefits to be Derived from the Study of English."

W. Durrell Hatfield, '14, is now doing graduate work at the University of Illinois. Mr. Hatfield has recently published an article in the "Journal of Industrial and Engineering Chemistry" on "The Value of Sewage Sludge as a Fertilizer." Mr. Hatfield is working with Prof. Bartow.

Russel Quisenberry, '17, who is confined to Our Savior's hospital, is improving steadily and hopes to attend his classes in a short time.

Owing to the final examinations which will be held the first week in February, the regular college dance for January has been dispensed with. A number of books relating to the study of the Bible has recently been presented to the college library by Mr. T. P. Pruden of Brookline, Mass. Mr. Pruden is a personal friend of Dean F. S. Hayden and received the degree of B. S. from Illinois college in 1890.

Dr. Rammelkamp is expected to return from the east the first of the week.

## CONSERVATORY NOTES.

The Midwinter Concert will take place next Friday evening, January 21st, at State Street Church—not in Westminster Church, as announced by mistake last week. The program will be given by the Conservatory Orchestra, under the direction of Mr. Kritch, and the Illinois College Chorus, under the direction of Mr. Mudge, assisted by Mrs. Sarajane Matthews Brown, soprano, Mr. John A. Rohan, baritone and Mr. Harry Beckman, tenor. The Orchestra will play the Unfinished Symphony, in E minor, of Schubert and a Minuet by Polzoni. The accompaniment for Massenet's "Eve," a Mystery, which is sung by the chorus, will be played by Miss Ruth Duncan, pianist, assisted by a string orchestra. Tickets will be on sale, as usual, at Brown's Music Store.

Members of the Chorus are urged to be prompt at the Monday evening rehearsal, as registration for the concert will be made. A full rehearsal will be held at State Street Church Thursday evening, Jan. 20th.

A student's recital will be given in Recital hall next Thursday afternoon, Jan. 20th at 4 o'clock. The public is invited.

The Students' recital last Thursday evening was well attended, in spite of unfavorable weather, and passed off very creditably.

Miss Mary Daniels played some piano solos at Westminster church on Thursday afternoon, Jan. 13th.

Mr. Paul Morrison and Karl Hill played a duet for violin and cello at the Grace church Epworth League Sunday evening.

Miss Sarah Katharine Frankenburg sang a solo, "Come unto Me" from the Messiah, at Centenary church Sunday morning.

## REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Nellie S. Newton to Oscar F. Conklin, quit claim deed to part of E 1-2, NE 1-4, 26-15-9—\$1.

John E. Pires to William Nunes, warranty deed to lot 2, John Allen's addition to Jacksonville—\$1.

William G. Morgan to W. J. Buss, warranty deed to part of lots 4 and 5 old plat Franklin—\$1,500.

Virginia M. Russell to Jacob Steinmetz warranty deed to lots 7 and 8, V. M. Russell's sub divided to Woodson—\$250.

## PROBATE COURT.

Estate of Joseph Clayton. Petition for letters of administration heard and allowed. Bond fixed at \$2,500 and approved as filed and ordered that letters of administration issue to W. A. Jenkins.

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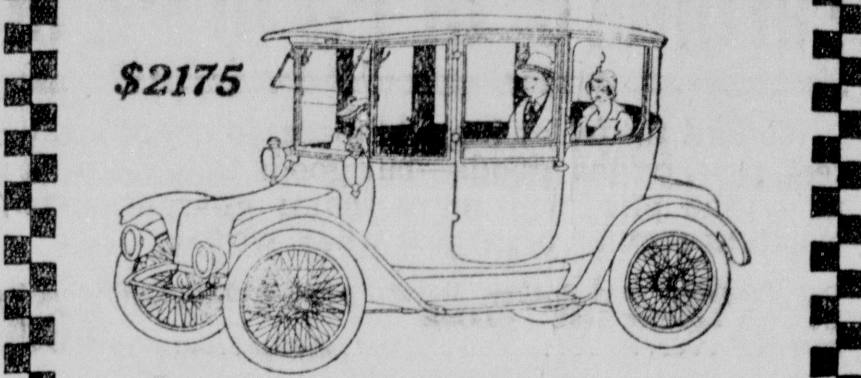
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# FOODS

THEY BUILD OR DESTROY

Amazing but Rarely Suspected Truths About the Things You Eat.

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Chapter 7.

Condemned prisoners fed on adulterated food were stricken with disease, but recovered when natural food was restored to them.

Animals, human or dumb brutes, do when their food is wrong. We see what happens when some one feeds another a chicken with bad food, but when a hundred food frauds take away the darling of the home to whom with the grieving father and mother go for redress?

The very number of food frauds makes it impossible for any one to say to the grand jury: "This particular food killed my little boy or girl."

For months, perhaps for years, one juggled food product brought substances to the child's diet of which her body could make no use. Her vitality was sapped by nature's efforts to get rid of the excess baggage. She was not poisoned by any particular food. An inadequate combination of foods simply caused her vitality to lose its tone.

Another food, from another source had been "processed" in a way that removed some of its indispensable elements. In its debased state it robbed her little frame of the very materials which she required for growth.

Slowly, month by month, the artificial combination of loaded, drugged or artificial foods warmed its cruel way to the dinner table and all the forces of nature were called in to battle with the unseen enemy of health and life.

Commercial expediency and a blind, heartless hunger for big gain sat by and looked on as the fight was waged in the child's body; but nature has been supplied with poor fighting materials. The child's resistance was broken at last by the combined attack of unnatural and unsuspected forces—buckled, caved in, and she was gone.

There is no pathologist, no lawyer, no district attorney who can accuse the food faker of her death. Let this be fully understood at the beginning.

Before we can correct a single food fraud by law we must bring the body of a dead child into the courtroom and say and prove to the jury: "This child was destroyed by this particular juggled food."

Scientists will be on hand to testify the other way. The food fakers have been paying scientists for twenty-five years to testify in their behalf before judge and jury.

I have listened to their testimony and have seen it fail, but the facts have rarely been reported to the public. Fear of advertising losses has closed the columns of the press and the uplift magazine against them. Judges, confused by conflicting expert evidence, in numerous instances have imposed fines of \$5 upon wretches who have deliberately preserved milk with formaldehyde. Not a word of the heinous crime and the travesty of justice has leaked out to the public.

Cases in which deadly wood alcohol formed the base of vanilla, lemon, and other flavoring extracts have been dismissed with a suspended sentence and not a soul ever

heard an echo of the facts outside the courtroom. Confectioners, who have used an arsenical preparation in the glaze with which their penny candies are coated have been let off with trifling rebukes, and the public has been none the wiser.

Foods that kill mice, rabbits, and guinea-pigs are not "harmful" to the child in the law's eyes, because nobody is willing to feed a child on a steady diet of such things until it dyes in order to produce the dead body in court as evidence of the truth.

The law is not the remedy. Education alone will end the hideous assaults of greed and ignorance upon the health of our children. Those 3,000 chickens are going to be helpful to us in our consideration of the facts.

Fortunately for us, when it is suggested that chickens are not human beings and that, therefore, any deductions based on barnyard phenomena are unwarranted when applied to humanity, we are not confined to the barnyard of our facts. The same facts have been established hundreds of times, as you will soon learn upon human beings.

In Bilibid prison, Philippine Islands, 1912, twenty-nine prisoners, under sentence of death, were fed exclusively on certain refined and denatured foods of a kind exclusively consumed in America for the purpose of determining what, if any, effect such diet would produce upon them.

They quickly became anemic and developed serious diseases which will be described to you later on.

Commenting on these experiments R. P. Strong and R. C. Crowell stated: "These diseases developed owing to the absence of some substance or substances in diet necessary for the normal physiological process of the body. Without a supply of such substances in the food sickness results."

Also the prisoners fed on the denatured diet mingled freely with the other prisoners, there was no tendency of the sickness to spread outside of the group fed on the denatured food.

When the denatured food was removed from the diet of the condemned men and natural, unrefined food restored to them they recovered promptly.

These are the brief outlines of facts of which you will learn much in picturesque detail before we have proceeded far. They are cited here only for the purpose of anticipating the question which you may have already asked: "What does chicken feeding demonstrate with respect to the health of the human animal?"

Some day, depending entirely upon the rapidity with which the facts to be set down here are spread abroad, it will not be so difficult to bring the body of a dead child into a courtroom and say with evidence to a jury: "This child was destroyed by this particular juggled food."

## BANKERS' ASS'N AGRICULTURAL COMMISSION ISSUES ROAD LETTER

Outlines Rules Which Govern Issuance of Bonds for Road Improvements—Believe Oiled Roads Have Place But Not As Substitute for Permanent Hard Roads.

The following letter sent out by the editor of the Banker-Farmer, published by the Agricultural Commission of the American Bankers Association has been given to the press for publication.

The biggest single issue before the people of Illinois today is good roads; biggest not alone of itself, but biggest because the prompt and satisfactory solution of a permanent road system in this state will not only solve a half dozen fundamental problems and indirectly affect for good, as well as in dollars and cents, almost every phase of farm, social and industrial life in the state.

We cannot expect to have a real system of roads unless it is based on hard units and this is best accomplished by accepting the county and state basis with a few experienced and responsible men in charge in each case. We must have roads that begin and end somewhere. A number of counties in this state are already considering the building of primary roads so that this generation may have the benefit of them.

Many of the counties in Illinois are pressing to the taxpayers the question of a bond issue for the improvement of their highways. Some have already voted for bonds and still others will shortly start similar proceedings. Before any county votes on a bond issue for this purpose, the taxpayers of the county should be thoroughly familiar with what is involved in the question.

The bond issue for a public improvement should be governed by the same considerations which govern a bond issue by any business organization. When a manufacturing concern issues bonds, the money raised is placed in permanent improvements in the plant which will last far beyond the life of the bonds, or else no investor would purchase the securities. Bonds for municipal purposes or for public improvements are not always subjected to this acid

test, and instances are numerous in this country where bonds for twenty years have been issued for the construction of public roads, where the type of roads built with the proceeds of the bond issue could not possibly last more than ten years, and even then expensive maintenance is continually necessary. In many instances history shows that during the life of such a bond issue the original road has been worn out and rebuilt with a different material, and with the proceeds of subsequent bond issues as many as three times, and still the original bonds are a liability on the community.

When an individual pays out his living or expense money or a community expends its money on experiments it is serious enough but when we mortgage our homes or a county for experiments or for some purpose which will not pay out before a long time mortgage is due, it spells folly and ruin.

We hear much talk today about making permanent roads by some more or less hasty and so-called expensive oil process with which it is certain we are deluding ourselves. Information from a number of authorities gives no satisfactory or encouraging replies on this subject. One of the ablest men on the Illinois Highway Commission has written as follows:

"How long an oil road can be maintained in first-class condition and what the cost of such maintenance will be, is a question upon which our department has no definite information, neither have any other of the State Departments so far as we have been able to learn, and we have inquired from them all.

"Many people over the State of Illinois are claiming that they consider the oiling of roads from year to year to permanently settle the good roads problem. Personally, and I think I speak for our entire Department when I say that we do not believe that oil will be found to take the place of a hard surface on our main, traveled highways. Even if fairly satisfactory, I think the maintenance cost will be found too high on such roads to make it practicable. We all admit that from 70 to 80 per cent of our roads will continue to be earth roads for many years, and I believe that on those roads, especially on that part of them



Alfred W. McCann

New York man who has done much in bettering the food supply of New York City. Articles from his pen are now appearing in the Journal.

that receives the heaviest traffic, oiling will be found desirable, but as I have said, I do not believe it will take the place of a hard surface on our main roads, and our main roads are the roads we are proposing to build at this time."

The value of a road today depends not so much upon the character of its surface, as upon its ability to carry heavy loads, and upon the amount of maintenance required to keep it in good condition. Experience shows that whenever a road is improved the traffic on it, is from three to four times heavier than it was before improvement. This is because vehicles are attracted from every side to the new improved road. The danger is that the people in rural districts in this state will be carried away by the temporary virtue of an oiled earth road and will lose sight of the fact that even this requires continual maintenance and expense to keep in condition, and cannot withstand the heavy traffic which is so rapidly developing upon our country roads. Another consideration is that oiled earth roads will not be maintained by the state as hard surfaces are, and a county which goes in for oiled earth roads must remember that the burden of maintaining them will perpetually confront the taxpayers.

No road can be a real success unless it is properly drained and graded, and this requires time, care and good engineering, no matter what surface coating it may have. Neither oil, gravel, brick or what-not can be put on a road surface with the idea of its having the slightest permanency unless the foundation, the draining and grading is well done and settled. To put oil on the average, ungraded, undrained, dirt roads would be a waste of money except perhaps as a temporary dust-layer.

I would appear that the only value of experiments with oil in this country would be to bring us all to a realization of the economy of permanent roads.

The question which should be continually borne in mind, not only by the Supervisors, but also by the taxpayers, is: "What have you to show for your money after a ten year period?"

According to the State Highway Commission, it costs from \$250 to \$500 per mile per year to oil roads properly. Five hundred dollars a year will pay the interest on the cost of a permanent road of brick or concrete, which requires practically no maintenance, and which will easily outlast a twenty-year bond issue. As a business proposition, and from a financial standpoint, there is only one conclusion, and that is, the money should go into permanent roads.

Permanent roads lead in a greater number of good directions than almost optimistic enthusiasts can imagine and permanent roads properly constructed and financed are one of the good things which cannot easily be overdone. A county that is not worth a good road is not worth being in.

### NO DEITS.

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### LICENSED TO MARRY

Kenneth H. Keplinger, Waverly, Miss Vera Kennedy, Waverly.

Clifford Strawn was a representative of Franklin in the city yesterday.

### COLLEGE OF MUSIC.

The past week has been an exceedingly busy one in the College of Music. Plans for the second semester's work are rapidly taking shape and several new courses of interest are to be offered. Several former students in the department have written recently, signifying their intentions of continuing their study during next semester.

Miss Winifred Sale officiated as organist at the First Methodist church at Watseka during her vacation in the absence of the organist. Her work won hearty praise by those who were fortunate enough to hear it.

The work of the catalogue revision is going forward. The new catalogues will soon appear with several new courses in the College of Music outlined. Mr. Stearns' next organ recital will be on the 6th of February and will be in the nature of a patriotic celebration, in view of the birthdays of Lincoln and Washington. The program will consist entirely of compositions by American composers and will close with the Dudley Buck Sonata in E flat, the final of which is a fugue on "Hail Columbia."

Mrs. R. M. Day, of the violin department, is to give a recital before the St. Louis Town club on Tuesday, January 18th.

### GLEANNERS HOLD MEETING.

"The Gleaners" of Bethel A. M. E. church held their first meeting in New Year Friday at the residence of Rev. N. J. McCracken, 318 Marion street. The officers for the year were installed as follows:

President—Cornelia Wright.  
Vice president—Alice Johnson.  
Secretary—Bevie Ross.  
Assistant secretary—Missouri Harrison.

Treasurer—Glean McCracken.  
Chairman Program Committee—Clyde Jackson.  
Chairman Refreshments committee—Cleota Hill.

Chairman Social Committee—Sister Oliver.  
Critic—Geneva Rogers.  
Reporter—Bevie Ross.

The next meeting will be held Friday, Jan. 28.

### FUNERAL NOTICE.

The funeral of Miss Malvina Melendy will be held from the residence, 211 North Prairie street Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be in Diamond Grove cemetery.



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## CHURCH SERVICES.

Westminster Presbyterian church—Sabbath school 9:30 a. m. Morning service 10:45. Evening service 7:30. Rev. W. F. Kirkpatrick, pastor of Second Presbyterian church of Joliet, Ill., will preach both morning and evening.

State Street Presbyterian—Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Preaching by Rev. R. B. Wilson of Hillsboro at morning service at 10:45. Young People's meeting at 6:30; topic, "How to Work With Others." Wednesday evening prayer meeting at 7:30. A welcome invitation is extended to all to attend these services.

Northminster Presbyterian church—Walter E. Spoonts, minister. Preaching at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. E. M. Vasconcellos, superintendent. A class for all ages. The morning subject will be "A Ease in Zion." The sermon will be the second in the series on Jacksonville, the subject, "Jacksonville's Jailer." A special invitation to the evening service. This will be an old time revival meeting. Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. This society will give a poverty social next Thursday evening at the church. Everybody will be fined who comes dressed up. A good old fashioned time for all. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. The subject for a revival talk at this meeting will be "The Spirit of Life."

McCabe M. E. church—M. Luther Mackay, pastor. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Rev. T. A. Herman, superintendent. Services all day, being the last quarter of the conference year. At 11 a. m. Rev. F. S. Bowles, D. D., of the St. Louis district, will preach. Subject, "The Limitations of Faith." 3:00 p. m. Rev. Dr. N. J. McCracken will preach the sacramental sermon; 7:30 p. m. the Rev. Dr. Langton, rector of the Episcopal church, will preach. All invited to these services.

Grace Methodist Episcopal church—Frederic B. Madden, minister. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Public worship 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Epworth League 6:30 p. m. Pulpit themes, "The Office and Work of the Holy Spirit," "The Youth and His Capital." Special music for morning; Anthem, "O Lord, Our Governor," by Godshy; solo, "Come Unto Him," by Handel. Evening: Anthem "O God, Who Hast Prepared," by Gaul; solo, "O Savior, Hear Me," by Gluck, with cello obligato by Mr. Paul Morrison. Miss Rena Lazelle, soloist. Visitors cordially welcomed.

Central Christian church—Myron L. Pontius, minister. Bible school at 9:30 a. m. Classes in all departments of the school. Charles L. Mathis, superintendent. Morning worship at 10:45. The theme of the sermon of the morning, "The Spirit-

ual Lodestone." Christian Endeavor service at 6:30 p. m. with Miss Edith Carlson as leader. The evening service at 7:30 is in recognition of the young women of the congregation, the subject of the sermon being, "The Possibilities and Advantages of Young Women." Miss Imel Kimball who teaches voice at the School for the Blind, will sing. Miss Mabel Forrester of the Conservatory of Music of Illinois college will play a violin solo. An anthem will be rendered by a chorus of girls and young ladies, and the Congregational singing will be supported by the same chorus and a ladies string orchestra, piano and organ.

Miss Erma Kimball of the State school for the Blind will sing a solo, "O, Lord be Merciful" by Bartlett, at the evening service.

Trinity Episcopal Church—2nd Sunday after Epiphany. Holy Communion, 7:30. Sunday school, 9:30. Morning prayer and sermon, 10:45. Tomorrow, Monday, evening the general Parish meeting will be held in the Guild House at 7:30. It is hoped and expected that every member, and supporter of the Parish, will be present. Light refreshments will be served. J. F. Langton, Rector.

Salem Evangelical Lutheran church, East College street, Rev. J. G. Kuppler, pastor—Second Sunday after Epiphany. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Public worship in German at 10:30 a. m. and in English at 7:30 p. m. All cordially welcome.

First Baptist church, Minister, Percy W. Stephens—Bible school, 9:30 a. m. Superintendent Carl H. Weber. Graded classes for all persons from infancy to maturity. Morning service, 10:45. Evening service, 7:30. Rev. Fred R. Johnson, of Waverly, Illinois, where the pastor is conducting a successful revival meeting, will preach. Mission Sunday school, 2:30. Junior Union, 3:00. B. Y. P. U., 6:30. "The Church with a Welcome." The pastor will return on Monday and will lead the prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 7:30.

Brooklyn—There will be services both morning and evening preaching by the pastor, W. W. Theobald. The subject at 10:45 a. m. will be, "The Salt that Saves Human Society" and at 7:30 p. m., "Man in the Making." There will be special music. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. A cordial invitation to all services.

Centenary M. E. church, G. W. Flagg, pastor—9:30 a. m. Sunday school, Albert C. Metcalf, superintendent. 10:45 a. m., sermon, subject, "The Choice from the Day." 2:30 p. m., Junior Epworth League. 6:30 p. m., Senior Epworth League. 7:30 p. m., "The Lost Word." By Van Dyke will be given by Miss Mabel Louise Gleckler, A. M., Director of the School of Expression at the Illinois Woman's College. A song service will open this service. A cordial invitation is extended to all who will to attend these services, and especially do we invite you to the evening service.

First Church of Christ, Scientist—Regular services are held in the Hulton Building, No. 333 West State street on Sunday at 11:00 a. m. Subject "Life." Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Testimonial meeting Wednesday at 7:45 p. m. The Reading room is open each week from 2:30 to 4:30 p. m. The public is cordially invited to attend the services and visit the reading room.

Congregational church—Bible school at 9:30 a. m. Brotherhood Bible class at 9:30 a. m. Morning worship at 10:45. Evening worship at 7:30. Subject: "The Bible in Literature," eight discourse on the series on the Bible.

Bethel A. M. E. church—Marion street. Rev. N. J. McCracken, pastor. Public worship; services 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 9:45 p. m. Rev. J. W. Kirk superintendent. Allen Christian Endeavor league 6:30 p. m. Miss Robinson, president. All are welcome to come and worship with us.

Second Christian church—Bible school 9:45; Sister Emma Florene, superintendent. Preaching at eleven o'clock. Subject, "A Christian's Duty." Junior Endeavor at three o'clock. Evening service, 7:30. Prayer meeting will be held by Sister Nanna Conley. Pastor subject, "Jesus the Light of the World." All are invited to come and hear these sermons. Raphael Hancock, pastor.

Mt. Emory Baptist church, corner Marion and Church streets. Enos Larkin Scruggs, minister—Morning worship at 11 a. m. The theme of the sermon, "Nehemiah, the Builder." At 2:30, Bible school. Mrs. Medora Bryan, superintendent. Mrs. Pauline Moore is in charge of the elementary department. 6:30, Y. P. C. association. Gladys Mallory, leader. Topic: "Confessing Christ Publicly." Luke 12:1-12. At 7:30, evening services. Subject of sermon: "The Unfruitful Fig Tree." Violin solo by Master Earl Franklin. Tuesday evening at the monthly gathering of the brotherhood, Mr. S. W. Nichols will give a lecture on "In and About Jerusalem." Illustrated by stereoscopic views taken by Mr. Nichols while touring the Holy land. There will be no admission to this lecture and all are welcome to come and enjoy a rare treat.

BEN D. MILLER SICK. Ben D. Miller, chief clerk at the Pacific was kept from his duties Saturday by illness.

William Davenport of the east part of the county was a city visitor yesterday.

## HIGHWAY COMMISSION REPORT ON OILED ROADS

ENGINEER GIVES SOME OF REQUISITES FOR GOOD RESULTS

Proper Grading and Draining and the Application of the Right Grade of Oil Are Essentials—Pamphlet Mak's Various Suggestions.

(Continued from yesterday.)

Bulletin No. 11, under the head "Surface Oiling of Earth Roads" has just been issued by the highway department of the state. The booklet, was compiled by B. H. Piepmeier maintenance engineer for the highway department. While some disappointments from oiling are pointed out, various statements made indicate the belief of the engineer that oiling has great possibilities, and benefits. The booklet has chapters on the following subjects: The selection of roads for oiling, the purposes of oiling, preparation of earth roads, the road surface preparatory to oiling, applying oil, shipping and handling oil, pumping oil, heating oil, sanding oiled surfaces, applying oil on sandy roads, cost of surface oiling, quality of oil, oiling gravel and macadam roads.

Because of special local interest in this subject, a considerable portion of the bulletin is presented herewith:

The steam connection with the tank car is made at one of the 2-inch pipes that projects beneath the tank, the other 2-inch pipe that projects should be supplied with a valve so the amount of steam passing thru the coils may be regulated.

It is advisable to have a thermometer on the job so that the temperature of the hot oil may be tested from time to time.

See road oils have a very low flash point and extreme care should be taken to prevent any oil from coming into contact with a flame. An analysis of an oil always shows the flash point so it is well to keep the temperature somewhat lower to prevent burning and to be on the safe side.

The presence of a slight amount of water in heating oil will cause the oil to foam and give a great deal of trouble. Where the oil tends to foam, it should be heated very slowly. In such cases every precaution should be taken to prevent accidents.

**The Cost of Surface Oiling.**  
The cost of preparing a public road for an oil treatment may vary from \$100 to \$2,000 per mile. However the grading and preparation of an earth road should not be charged against the cost of oiling. The oiling or dragging of an earth road is a maintenance proposition and should be estimated separately from the building or preparing of the road. The road should be kept well shaped regardless of whether it is to be oiled or not. However, some cleaning is almost always necessary prior to the first application of oil, and this cost will vary from \$25 to \$50 per mile of road.

Road oil can be purchased for from three to seven cents per gallon, depending upon the quality. It may be applied on the surface of the road at the rate of one-fourth to one-half gallon per square yard. So the cost of oil alone may vary from \$75 to \$275 per mile of road 15 feet wide, depending upon the quality and quantity of oil applied.

The cost of applying the oil will vary from \$150 to \$475 per mile of road. With average conditions and with a medium priced oil, the average cost of oiling alone per application may be from \$200 to \$250 per mile of road 15 feet wide.

It is understood that the above figures are only to approximate estimate. A complete record of the cost of oiling, together with the quality and quantity of oil used each year over a period of years is not available. The above figures, however, are based on the best information available in this and other similar states.

It is predicted by some enthusiastic users that a road will not require oiling after it has been oiled for two or three years and the surface has become largely saturated with the oil. The writer has visited some twenty different towns that have oiled their streets for a period of more than five years and the present condition of such streets indicates that the oiling will have to be repeated each year indefinitely to secure the desired results. The quality or quantity of oil used in the twenty towns referred to is not known. It may be that if a high grade of asphaltic oil is used that some annual applications may be omitted after a few years of treatment. With the best oil, however, it is hardly expected that more than one year could elapse without some attention.

Some experiments have been made along this line of thoroughly saturating the top of six inches of earth and then compacting it with a petrolitic roller. The saturating of the earth with the first application of two and one-half to three gallons of oil was intended to resemble somewhat the continual oiling of the surface over a period of four or five years. The experiments referred to were made in 1908 and 1909 on three different sections of road of one-half to three-fourths of a mile in length. Two of the sections were considered failures and were within three years covered with a more desirable wearing surface. The third section still remains; however, it shows very few signs of having such a treatment. This section seems to rut in the winter and spring almost as badly as the other portion of the road; in midsummer the surface of the road pulverizes and forms a dust that flies almost the same as dust from other portions of the road.

In view of all the information that

is available on oiled earth roads, indications are that the treatments must be made each year or at least every other year to get the desired results. On this basis, \$150 to \$200 per year for five to ten years may be a basis for estimating the cost of surface oiling.

### Quality of Oil.

On practically all work that has been done in the past, a light oil with a paraffin or semi-asphaltic base has been used. There is very little information available on the use of the higher grades of asphaltic oil on earth roads. It is predicted by our best authorities that the use of the higher grade asphaltic oils will prove to be more satisfactory and more economical in the end than the use of inferior products.

It seems to be the unanimous opinion of all extensive users of road oils that the semi-asphaltic products are far superior to the paraffin oils.

From the information that we have, therefore, it seems essential that careful analysis be made of all road oils before using and that preference be given to the natural and semi-asphaltic products over the paraffin oils.

The best results are secured only by purchasing the material under carefully drawn specifications and using the same under the approval of a competent chemist.

The amount of asphalt or resins that a product may contain does not classify it as a suitable material for the road under consideration. For instance, a thick heavy material with 40 per cent asphalt or residue will not give the same results as a light high product of the same asphaltic content.

The purpose of oiling an earth road is the suppression of dust and the waterproofing of the surface. It is evident, therefore that the best results may be secured during the first application, by applying either a cold or a least a very thin product that will penetrate the surface of the road several inches and at the same time contain as many binding elements as possible so as to seal all pores in the earth, making it waterproof and at the same time adding some binding qualities that may assist the bond of the soil itself. A suitable product as is commonly expressed, may vary from 30 to 60 per cent in asphalt. After the surface of the road has been thoroughly saturated, a hot oil or a slightly heavier product may be used.

If the heavier oils are used for the first application they will not readily penetrate the surface of the road and will consequently form a mat on top. The forming of the mat before the surface of the road is more or less waterproof may be a serious fault as moisture will accumulate beneath the mat and the road will be much slower in drying out than it would had the oil not been applied. The mat surface with a soft subsoil will rut more readily, besides breaking and scaling off in large pieces, making the road surface rough and undesirable.

### WOMAN'S COLLEGE NOTES.

President Harker has been spending the past week, and will spend the coming week, attending meetings in connection with the Board of Education, as well as other educational associations, now meeting in Chicago.

The college is again bringing to Jacksonville an exhibition of about fifty pictures by contemporary American painters. The dates for the exhibition will be the first two weeks of April, and the exhibition will be as vital and interesting as one as that of last year, many of our foremost painters being represented by fine examples of their work. The pictures are assembled and sent out by the American Federation of Arts, and the valuation of this present exhibition is something over \$52,000.

In the Home Economics department children's classes will be started soon, as practice teaching work for the graduating students. This work is all given under the direction of the head of the department, and is a splendid opportunity to young girls who are anxious to get started in the Home Economics work. Further announcement will be made later regarding the small fee to be charged, as well as other information of interest to this work.

On Thursday night the third academy class gave a clever stunt immediately after the dinner hour.

The athletic association gave a circus Saturday night, January 15th, the proceeds of which were put aside for the new gymnasium. A number of clever and original stunts were carried out, and a delightful time was enjoyed by all.

Miss Kate Blackburn, who has been doing missionary work in Lovitch, Bulgaria, is at the college spending two weeks visiting classes and getting more closely in the work of educational thought.

### INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS.

At the regular meeting of Matt Starr Post G. A. R. held Jan. 14, the following officers were duly installed by C. E. McDougall, installing officer. John R. Kirkman, officer of the day.

Commander—John Minter.  
Senior vice commander—W. J. Moore.  
Junior Vice commander—Hassel Hepper.  
Surgeon—A. T. Bartlett.  
Quartermaster—Wm. A. Kirby.  
Adjutant—C. E. McDougall.  
Chaplain—John W. Melton.  
Patriotic instructor—W. H. Jordan.  
Officer of the Day—John R. Kirkman.  
Officer of the Guard—Frank Wiggin.  
Serg't Major—L. Goheen.  
Q. M. Sergeant—C. Riggs Taylor.

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## FEEDING CATTLE IN THE CORN BELT

By Frank E. Drury.

Frank E. Drury who today ranks as one of the most successful stockmen in central Illinois has an article in the holiday number of The Breeders Gazette on "Feeding Cattle in the Corn Belt." The holiday issue of this well known publication comprised one hundred pages and the contributors were many of them of country wide fame. Mr. Drury's article has both local and general interest and will be published in the Journal in installments.

(Article Four)

(Continued from yesterday)

But the smaller farmer must wait until he has a place to put his cattle, so that by the time he gets to market and wants a large bunch of cattle to feed out a big crop of corn he finds the native cattle hard picking, if he demands a good bunch. The only thing left is the "collie," which looks smooth and uniform. But the question arises, how will it feed, and will it ever get down, especially enough to be fed in our cattle barns and small concrete feedlots? I was the first among my friends to be willing to try out this thing. I appreciated the danger of the undertaking, and how costly it might be if I failed. So I felt that we must intensify all our plans and methods and bring ourselves to the study of the nature of the animal, its habits and instincts, and try to adjust the wilder nature so prevalent in the plains country to the close confines of the corral feedlot. This animal must be won not by force but by kindness, gentleness and quiet movements of both men and teams; even talking and the moving of arms and hats were all tabooed in the feedlot. In fact, in general we try to create an atmosphere of quiet contentment in all our operation with all kinds of live stock. We figure that all these organs that are supposed to be at work for us both night and day are doing their best only when at peace with themselves and their surroundings.

The job I undertook was the quieting and gentling of 180 three-year-old cattle from the range. I believe they were as wild as any I have ever seen, and it was taking a long chance to buy a barn full of these "whitefaces," as it had never been tried out in this country, and no one was certain that I would ever get them in the barn at all. It was thought that they would be coming and going all the time, and on the run at that, making it almost impossible or at least dangerous to have hogs with them in the barn. I think that the boys rather expected me to get a lot of hogs killed or crippled, as well as make the cattle even worse than when in the large open fields, where they could at least think they had got away.

Turing them into the neighbor's stallfield, I soon discovered the fact that, with no apparent excuse, every day at about the same time they would go on a stampede, and a rail fence appeared to them as a hurdle to a school boy. They would knock down many hurdles, and as complaints came in that they were tearing down all the fences, I had to take them home. They did not even know what corn was for, and would carefully eat the shucks off the snapped corn that I tried them on, and leave the hard ears. It took time and patience to create the new appetite required, for if we were going to be able to coop them into the barn they must have their attention directed to something in order for us to overcome their fear of confinement. This bunch of wild cattle was thoroughly gentled, for all reasonable demands, for a feeding period. I was soon able to go to the barn on foot—something that we did not dare to do at first; and before long I was even able without fear of results, to take my lady with me. Also, I could scratch their backs and rub the most of them. They made excellent gains, averaging more than 70 pounds per month, and finishing very hard.

They filled at the market (according to the Government test on the shrink of silage-fed cattle) 98 pounds each, shrinking from nothing to 30 pounds from full weight at home the afternoon before shipment. According to their dressing sheet, they killed out 64 percent and in the letter I received from Washington, asking for further particulars and stating it was stated that this beef shrank less in the cooler than was usual. The experts seeing them upon the hooks, regarded them as showing "a more even distribution of fat over the entire carcass than was usual in large cattle."

These cattle had a balanced ration as well as careful handling. The silage and cottonseed meal gave to the bowels a condition of oiliness that argues not only for the health and condition of the steer, but also for that of hogs as well. For I was able to keep hogs with the cattle and had 500 hogs feeding and sleeping in the same barn. At last, when I went to sort out a few loads at a time, I soon found I would better cut out a bunch, for that wild nature was still with them, and when we got one out by himself he thought he was to be thrown and branded, I suppose, for he made it his business to get away. They fed so much alike, however, that there was really no call for sorting, so a cut served every business purpose.

The cattle fed last winter were 1177 Kansas cattle, averaging 1,150 pounds on Oct. 1; they went out in August averaging 1,800 pounds and brought a little less than 10 cents. They were too heavy for the market, as light-weights were popular. Their dressing sheet showed a net of 64 percent. They had a balanced ration of corn and silage, cottonseed meal and alfalfa hay and finished with a hard, glossy appearance, in comparing feeding operations with other feeders of heavy cattle marketed at the same time. I found that I had gained about 150 pounds more

and about \$1 per cwt., so that my results were comparative good.

Altho the foot-and-mouth disease and consequent quarantines kept up in a turmoil all winter, and just when to let go was a vital question I had figured on feeding two bunches of cattle during that time, and with that feed but such is the feeder's experience. If they will keep foot-and-mouth out of politics, and politics will put practical men in command of the live stock interest, if the packers do not sit down on us too hard because of the prize court proceedings, and the fact that they held war supplies too high to get all the orders from the allies who went to South America and Australia, till America should come across; and if the south can sell cotton and get back to buying our hog products, it may be we can take chances again, even altho Germany is not in a position to import our lard.

Nowadays one must be posted as to world happenings and resources in order to begin to judge the market, and at the best it is more or less of a gamble with conditions as they are at present. The first year of the war seemed to affect the price of grain more favorably than that of live stock. The foot-and-mouth trouble added to the dilemma. Cattle were laid in high last year; then with an increased feeding bill expense and quarantine regulations giving us a non-competitive market it is a wonder we came out as well as we have come out.

It seems to the business man that Illinois can afford to pay full value for all stock killed in the extermination of foot-and-mouth. Other states do not put a limit on the amount to be paid, but leave it to the discretion of the appraisers. Hence there are no injunctions or the Mrs. Durand type of case in other states. We cannot blame our neighbor states for quarantining against Illinois, when they go ahead and pay what the appraisers say the stock is worth. While Illinois was fooling around with limitations and consequent injunctions, supreme court decisions, sheriffs and lawsuits, and spending more money in the execution of the law than the law would possibly save, if the law were right (which we all very much doubt), the disease was gaining a foothold and the infection rapidly spreading. People took sides as to who was right, and quarantines were growing tighter against Illinois till I believe nearly every state that could be affected had quarantined against our state. Producers had lost all the eastern trade, and millions of dollars of live stock went to a market (when it could go at all) that had no competition whatever. The live stock interests in this country have paid for all this controversy many thousands of times, and I should think that it was an experience that stockmen would not soon forget.

If we must take stock and kill it for the good of all the people let it be paid for to the extent of its full appraised value. The unfortunate man is put out of business at least for that year and in the cases in question possibly for many years. Is not that enough loss for the individual to stand alone and enough penalty to pay for being a philanthropist enough to be caught in the live stock business at all? Away with penny politicians, afraid of their jobs.

## "WILLING WORKERS" SOCIETY OF GRACE CHAPEL ENTERTAINS

Pleasant Gathering at Home of Mrs. Bessie Bourn — Other Grace Chapel News.

The Willing Workers society was very pleasantly entertained Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Bessie Bourn. Refreshments were served by the hostess, and the evening was enjoyed by all present. The society will meet with Mrs. Alice Charlesworth in February.

Elmer Smith, wife and children spent Friday and Saturday with relatives in Waverly.

Mrs. Lea Reams of Chapin spent the week-end with home folks.

Mrs. Henry Brainer who has been ill with pneumonia for the past two weeks is improving slowly.

Quite a number of the people of this vicinity are suffering with colds and lagrippe.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Vorhees were business callers in Arenzville Friday.

Mrs. Lula Rooney spent part of last week in Arenzville with her father who was seriously ill and is no better.

Jesse Loughary was a business caller in Jacksonville Monday.

Elmer Smith was in Arenzville Monday and attended the funeral services of Mrs. Julia Shafer.

Mr. and Mrs. John Reicide visited relatives in this vicinity a few days last week.

## FRANKLIN.

Mert and Richard Jolly have returned to their homes after having been called here for the death of their aunt, Mrs. Lillie Clayton.

Miss Hallie Armstrong has an attack of the "grippe."

Mrs. Newt Sargent of Jacksonville was a Sunday visitor in the village.

Mr. and Mrs. Simpson Van Winkle of Farmersville visited Mr. and Mrs. Al Clark over Sunday.

The game between the Franklin Independents and the Y. M. C. A. basketball team was postponed on account of illness of the Y. M. C. A. players.

The Independents played the high school team and won by the score of 21 to 27.

Miss Gladys Fairfield is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Alice Topliff.

The warm weather has thawed the ground considerably and consequently the roads are almost impassable.

C. M. Hocking is spending the winter at the home of his son R. H. Hocking in Jacksonville.

Mrs. Edgar Sweet has been suffering greatly this week from a bad attack of neuralgia.

Mrs. R. L. Duncan and daughters

Misses Meda and Ruth were here Sunday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Lillie Clayton.

Misses Martha and Lillian Tranbarger have been kept in the last of the week by a severe cold.

Clarence Whitlock and family have moved to the Violet property which they purchased recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Luttrell of Waverly spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Woods.

## ARENZVILLE.

Mrs. Tina Summers was a recent shopper in Jacksonville.

Miss Edith Carmody returned

from Carlville after spending the Christmas holidays with home folks.

Roscoe Linder spent a few days at Chandlersville recently.

Prof. Rosenberg returned from Windsor after a few days' visit.

Elvin Long spent a week with his uncle, Ross Long and family, near Markham.

T. Antrobus spent Sunday with home folks at Chapin.

O. Gould and family of near Moredosia spent a few days here recently.

H. Wade and Charles Shrewsbury were shopping at Jacksonville a few days ago.

Arthur Crum and family of North Prairie spent a day here with relatives not long ago.

J. A. Weeks was transacting business at Jacksonville last week.

Alex Candiff of near Hopewell, was transacting business here recently.

Mrs. Oliver Zahn has returned from Murrayville after a few days' visit with her parents.

Arthur Wood and family of North Prairie dined with relatives here one day last week.

Mrs. Earnst Sanders and little daughter of Concord visited at the home of Elie Woods recently.

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## REBEKAH LODGE OF MEREDOSIA HOLDS ANNUAL INSTALLATION

Officers Inducted Into Various Positions—Parent-Teachers' Meeting—Other Meredosia News.

Meredosia, Jan. 14.—At the regular meeting of the Rebekah lodge Thursday evening the following installation of officers took place: P. N. G.—Katie McAllister, N. G.—Bertha Rice, V. G.—Minnie Lefever, Secy.—Bessie Bolyard, Treasurer—Bell Wilday, Chaplain—Rose Looman, R. S. N. G.—Clyde McAllister, L. S. N. G.—Elton Pond, R. S. V. G.—Elsie Leonhard, L. S. V. G.—Nina Roe, Warden—Lela Baber, Conductor—Nellie Summers, Inner Guard—Florence McIntosh, Outer Guard—Iva Pond, Mrs. John Beauchamp is recovering from a two weeks' siege of the gripper.

The youngsters have been skating on the bay the past few days. Floyd Giger has been detained at home from his place of business at Perry Spring station the past week with illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Risor left Tuesday for a trip thru Mississippi and Alabama in view of moving there to live.

Parent Teachers' Meeting. The regular monthly parent-teachers meeting last Tuesday eve. was largely attended considering the inclemency of the weather. The committee composed of Messrs. Fred Deppe, George Hyde and John Beauchamp arranged the following interesting program:

Selections—Orchestra. Selection—Male quartet composed of Messrs. Hal Naylor, Boyd Pond, Frank Skinner and Earl Hyde. Cornet solo—Kenneth Looman. Vocal solo—Anabelle Hyde. Paper—New school laws and its requirements, by Prof. O. W. Gould. A question box proved to be a very interesting feature of the evening's program.

M. W. A. Installation. Meredosia Camp No. 105, M. W. A. at a regular meeting last Thursday evening installed the following officers to serve during the ensuing year:

Edward Hudson, V. C. W. L. Wilday, W. Adv. W. A. Steplin, Banker, J. F. Brockhouse, Clerk, John Hudson, Escort, W. Allen, Watchman, L. P. Starks, Sentry, Harry Lefever, Manager (for three years).

Dr. Magan of Mt. Sterling was a professional visitor in our city Thursday.

Mrs. Ed. Almond is reported on the sick list.

Parents of New Son. News has reached this city of the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Tibbs at Flora, Ill. on the 7th of this month. The little one weighed ten pounds and has been given the name of John Henry. Mrs. Tibbs was formerly Lois Yeakel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Yeakel of this city.

Teaching Near Chambersburg. Fred Muntman is teaching school near Chambersburg, the former teacher resigning. Fred is the third one of the last year's graduating class who is teaching, which speaks well for the ability of the class.

Mrs. Ella Tryon returned to her home in Monroeville, Ind. Wednesday after a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Addelman. After a short stay at home she expects to go to Florida for an extended visit.

Mrs. Lafe Moss and Miss Margaret McLaughlin were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Naylor in Jacksonville Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Washburn and daughter Vera returned Thursday to their home in Albion, Ia. after a week's visit with relatives here.

Royal Kratz, John Hughes and Allen Ham are serving on the jury in Jacksonville this week.

James Rhodes of White Hall is visiting his brother, Howard, in this city.

L. F. Berger was a business visitor in Jacksonville Wednesday.

Hope of Ice Harvest. With the thermometer registering six degrees below zero Thursday morning we have not lost hope in the ice harvest for this season.

CONTEST IS DISMISSED.

East St. Louis, Ill., Jan. 15.—The contest over the election of Mayor Mollman instituted by former Mayor Chamberlin, was dismissed today. On a recount of the ballots Mollman's plurality was reduced to fourteen, not counting more than 200 disputed ballots. After the disputed ballots had been passed on by a circuit judge it was found that Mollman's plurality was 23. The total vote was about 15,000.

HOCKEY BOOMING IN MINNESOTA.

St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 15.—The Minneapolis hockey team has imported four Canadian hockey stars, and there is sure to be some lively tussles in the matches which will begin next week. Minneapolis and St. Paul will clash on Monday night in the opening big game. The season will extend until the end of February, with Fort William and Winnipeg on the circuit.

BOY IS KILLED WHILE COASTING. Chicago, Jan. 15.—Ralph Kellik, 12 years old, was killed today while coasting on Pierce Hill near his home in Hebron, McHenry county, Ill. The lad had slid down the hill when he was struck by the pointed runners of the sled on which his brother Oscar had coasted down the steep incline after him. One runner struck his throat and the other crushed his chest.

F. E. Drury, William Davenport and James Dobyns from near Orleans called on city people yesterday.

## ELIJAH SMITH—REVOLUTIONARY SOLDIER

By Clara C. Cobb

Direct ancestry dating back to the Revolutionary period is each year becoming more interesting and now more valuable.

As a community we are historically interested in the patriots buried in Jacksonville and in Morgan County. This spirit of interest was publicly manifested a few years since, by the placing of a bronze tablet in the corner-stone of the Morgan County Court House, bearing the names of the revolutionary soldiers buried in this county, the tablet being a gift of the local chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Among them is the name of Elijah Smith, the only revolutionary patriot buried in the Jacksonville (East) Cemetery and who is the great-grand father of Mrs. W. H. Cobb of this city.

Elijah Smith, the son of Thomas and Hannah (Hunt) Smith, was born in Hunterdon County, New Jersey, August 13, 1755. He lived there until 1778 when with his father's family he moved to Washington County, Virginia. He enlisted in the Continental Army under General George Washington, at Trenton, New Jersey in 1776, when but seventeen years of age. He served under Colonel Phelps, Shelby, McDowell and others during the entire period of struggle, sharing with men of that time the hardships and trials which tried their very souls.

Elijah Smith was twice married. In 1780 he was married to Elizabeth Lytton to whom six children were born. Following her death he married, many years later, an attractive young woman, Lucinda Jones, who was just twenty-two years of age at the time of her marriage to the soldier. Many years her senior, Mr. Smith was a prominent figure in his locality. He even as his years advanced, was a strikingly handsome man, had been a school teacher and in his day was possessed of considerable means.

To this second union were born three children a rather remarkable and interesting fact being the survival of two of the three children, a son, James Lytton Smith, and a daughter, Mrs. Mary Jane Kimery, who at present are living very comfortably and very well surrounded in the little city of Neoga, in Southern Illinois.

To be a "real daughter" or "son" of the American Revolution is at the present time something of which the remaining few are quite pardonably proud.

Elijah Smith died suddenly in Jacksonville, March 11, 1835, being in his eighty-first year. He was buried near the center of the Jacksonville Cemetery where the grave is designated by two simple markers, one a rust-coated little iron one in the form of the Continental Emblem, with the laurel wreath, the thirteen stars, a musketer, the letters "S. A. R." (Soldier of the American Revolution) and the date 1775. This interesting marker was placed upon the grave years ago by the government. The other, a plain granite one, bearing the inscription, "Captain Elijah Smith," with the dates 1775-1835, was more recently erected by relatives.

Following his death, the widowed mother continued to live with her little family in Jacksonville until Mary Jane (Kimery) who was less than a month old when her father died, was sixteen years old, when the mother moved the family to Springfield. Here the young daughter married John Brannon in 1851. They were the parents of one son, Louis, born Dec. 20, 1854 and now living in Spokane, Wash. Three years later the Brannons moved to Neoga, Ill. at that time only a small settlement. In 1862 Mr. Brannon volunteered for service in the Civil War, when on account of health condition he was discharged a year later from service. They then moved to Jacksonville, Florida, where Mr. Brannon died in 1887.

A few years later Mrs. Brannon returned to Illinois locating at Toledo. On March 29, 1890 she was married to John Henry Kimery. They lived on his farm and then moved into the little city of Neoga, where they are now living, undoubtedly the most widely known and the most popular elderly couple in the city. With them her brother, James Lytton Smith, son of Elijah Smith, makes his home. He is now eighty-eight years of age.

Mrs. Kimery or "Aunt Mary" as she is familiarly known enjoys the distinction of being one of four living daughters of revolutionary soldiers in the state of Illinois today. She is a member of the Farina Chapter, D. A. R. also an honored member of the National Society of the D. A. R. She is the proud possessor of a handsomely wrought golden spoon, emblematic in design of the Colonial period, and presented to her by the National Society.

Through the aid of the Chapter of which she is a charter member, Mrs. Kimery recently received a pension with back pay to which she was entitled as the minor child of a revolutionary soldier.

Mrs. Cobb recently enjoyed a most delightful visit with her great-aunt at her home in Neoga, finding her to be an unusually charming and lovable woman, splendidly preserved both mentally and physically, suffering from none of the usual infirmities of age. A bright, active woman, the daughter of a Revolutionary soldier and the wife of a Civil War veteran, always taking advantage of the many opportunities which have been hers, together with a keen sense of observation and a broad intellect, have enriched her life to such an extent as to have made her a most interesting personality and her wonderful experiences thru the periods which have practically made our American History, of great interest and value to others.

Con Lonergan of the south part of the county was a caller on city people yesterday.

## LIVESTOCK MARKET NOTES

### Cattle Trade Lacks Force

Buyers for steers have shown an apathetic disposition most of this week and the receipts have been moderate they indicated no disposition to worry about that fact. Circumstances were such that steady prices were obtained for the general supply with the goal to choose well finished steers scarce that a few of the top end sold higher than last week. Choice heavy steers will command \$9.50 @ 9.75 the buyers are getting a pretty fair class of killing steers at \$8.40 @ 9. Not as many common cattle are coming as a short time ago and so relatively few steers are selling below \$7.50. Packers claim to be well loaded up with fresh beef and seem to be inclined to push the pork to the front because there is a wider margin of profit just at present in that commodity. Sellers believe the market for good steers will gradually work higher but nobody feels optimistic about the common kinds.

### Good Cows Higher

Butcher stock of good quality sold better this week and the market stands 19 @ 20c higher for fat cows that range from \$6 @ 6.75. Medium cows at \$5.25 @ 6 are also better but the canner demand is weak and low grade stuff is on the down slant. Fat bulls are easy to sell at \$6 @ 6.75 and there is a good outlet for bolognas at \$5 @ 6. Good cows have the preference over steers of the same grade so far as activity is concerned because buyers can get them better worth the money on the slaughter test.

### Big Boom in Hog Market

The lid was off the hog market this week and prices went up in a very spectacular way to the highest level since last November. On Monday over \$5,000 hogs were received and prices were much depressed but since then receipts have been exceptionally small and values up to Friday improved nearly a dollar from Mondays low point. This was unmistakable evidence that a strong undercurrent flows beneath the market and only excessive receipts can hold the market down. Packers feverish desire lately to get hogs shows that the outlet is broad. Another big prop to the trade is the eastern shipping demand which has loomed in the unexpected large. Eastern territory has a scant supply of hogs and buyers are coming to Chicago to fill their extensive orders and the big packers here have lost their grip on the situation.

Late this week the market cooled down some and buyers were able to take off 25c from the high mark but the popular impression is that this will be speedily recovered next week unless the supply reaches unprecedented proportions. Quality has improved some recently which has trade and there are more buyers in the field for the medium and heavy weight hogs. So bullish is the feeling in the trade that sellers are advising the country to ship moderately and let the market go up rather than flood the trade and bring about a lower scale of values. The sort corn excitement seems to have subsided and marketing is on a more conservative basis.

### Lambs at \$10.90

The lamb market has been in a sensational condition all week. Prices were elevated to \$10.90 which is far above any former record for the month of January. In fact there have been but a few spots in the history of the business when lambs sold any higher. There is all kinds of speculation about how high lambs will sell in the near future. Many predict they will reach \$12 by the 1st of March generally comes reach the high water mark of the year in April and May so nobody is rash enough to predict where the summit will be at the loftiest point of the year. Sheep and lambs are very scarce this year especially in Chicago territory. There will be very few available in another month except in Colorado and these lambs are in close hands and the market no doubt will be fed so as to keep prices at the highest possible limit. Good ewes are selling at \$6.50 @ 7 and wethers at \$8.75 @ 9. These are remarkable prices.

### WILL RUN SPECIAL CAR.

Superintendent Walter B. Miser has arranged to run a special car on the south end line Tuesday, January 18, for those who wish to attend the sale of Robert R. Coultas. The car will leave the square shortly before 10 o'clock. It is expected that a number of friends of Mr. Miser will take the car for the sale.

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## CLUBS AND SOCIETIES.

The Mid Winter Picnic of the East Side Tuesday club has been changed to an afternoon sewing. The meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Dennis Schram on South Main street Tuesday afternoon at 2:30.

The Friday Social Circle has been postponed for a week.

An open meeting of the "Helen Rawlings Chater" of the World Wide Guild will be held at the First Baptist church on Monday evening at 7:30. There will be a stereopticon lecture of the various missionary fields, with special music, and the Young Peoples' Societies, and Missionary societies of the other churches are cordially invited to come and bring their friends.

The College Hill Club will meet Monday at 3 o'clock with Mrs. Havenhill, 724 West State street.

The Household Science Club will meet with Mrs. Frank Elliott Tuesday, Jan. 18th, at 3 o'clock.

The January meeting of Woman's Missionary societies of Westminster church will be held on Tuesday, Jan. 18th, with Mrs. Julia Holmes, West College avenue. This meeting was deferred from last week on account of weather. All women of church cordially invited.

The Mission Study Circle of Congregational church will meet Tuesday evening at 7:30 with Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Irving, 1047 Grove street. Subject, "Corrinne Shattuck", a missionary heroine in Turkey.

The Wednesday Class will meet with Mrs. Leonard Chambers.

The Thursday South Diamond club will meet with Mrs. J. T. Graham, 219 South Prairie street, Thursday afternoon.

The Chaminade Musical club will meet Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Roland Stice, 503 East College avenue, at 2:30 o'clock. A program representing legend in music will be given.

The Literary Union will meet Monday evening with Dr. David W. Reid. Subject, "Pseudo Poetry", Leader, L. O. Vaught.

The Woman's Home Missionary society of Centenary church will meet with Mrs. A. C. Metcalf at Illinois Woman's college Friday afternoon, January 20.

The West Side Thursday club will meet with Mrs. Harry Goodrick, 438 East College avenue, Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

The Woman's Missionary society of Grace M. E. church will meet with Mrs. Edward D. Canatney, 606 North Church street Tuesday, Jan. 18th at three p. m.

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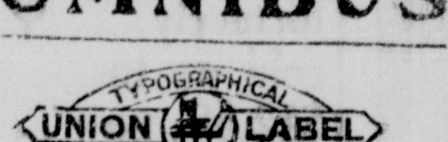
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Clover hay, per bale ..... 55c  
Clover hay, per ton ..... \$14.00  
Alfalfa hay, per bale ..... 55c  
Alfalfa hay, per ton ..... \$15.00  
Oats straw ..... 35c  
Oats, per bushel ..... 50c  
Barley, per cwt ..... 1.15  
Cracked corn, old, per cwt ..... \$1.65  
Cracked corn, new, per cwt ..... \$1.50  
Coarse corn meal ..... \$1.65  
Oats ..... 45c  
Corn ..... 70c

JACKSONVILLE TIME TABLE.

Chicago & Alton.

North Bound—

Chicago-Peoria Accom., thru to Chicago ..... 6:20 am  
Peoria-Bloomington Acc. .... 5:00 pm  
From St. Louis ..... 11:50 am  
Chicago "Red Hummer" ..... 1:52 am  
No. 30. St. Louis train, arrives ..... 8:50 pm  
South and West Bound—

Alton Nightingale to Kansas City ..... 3:28 am  
St. Louis Accom., daily ..... 6:05 am  
Kansas City-St. Louis local 10:10 am  
St. Louis-Mexico Accom. .... 3:30 pm  
Kansas City Express ..... 8:28 pm  
Wabash.

East bound—

No. 72 local frgt. ex. Sun. 11:20 am  
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# **PHELPS & OSBORNE**

Will Continue Their CLEARANCE SALE for One Week More. Very Special Bargains for Clearance.

## **Note These Prices**

10 yds. Hope Muslin	73c
10 yds. Hills or Lonsdale	80c
10 yds. Unbleached Muslin	79c
10 yds. Sea Island Muslin	79c
10 yds. Pepperell R Muslin	85c
10 yds. Berkley Cambric	\$1.08
10 yds. Lonsdale Cambric	\$1.28
28 in. Pepperell Tubing	14c
40 in. Pepperell Tubing	16c
42 in. Pepperell Tubing	18c
36 in. Linen Finish Tubing	18c
40 in. Linen Finish Tubing	19c
42 in. Linen Finish Tubing	20c
72c 81x90 Seamless Sheets	58c
72c 72x90 Seamless Sheets	63c
\$1.75 Bed Pillows, pair	\$1.25

## **Sheeting**

72 in. Unbleached Pepperell	21c
81 in. Unbleached Pepperell	22c
90 in. Unbleached Pepperell	23c
72 in. Bleached Pepperell	23c
81 in. Bleached Pepperell	23c

## **Shawls**

\$5.00 Double Wool Shawls	\$3.95
\$4.00 Double Wool Shawls	\$2.95
\$3.50 Double Wool Shawls	\$2.45
\$2.50 Single Wool Shawls	\$1.95
\$5.00 Beaver Shawls	\$3.25
\$6.00 Beaver Shawls	\$3.95
\$4.50 Beaver Shawls	\$2.95

## **Dress Goods**

50c Dress Goods	42c
\$1.50 Wool Dress Goods	98c
\$1.00 All Wool Serges	92c
\$1.00 Wool Taffeta	92c
\$1.00 Wool Melrose	92c

## **Silks**

\$1.00 26 in. Tuss Silks	79c
\$1.00 26 in. Kimona Silks	79c
\$1.25 26 in. Pongee Silks	99c
\$1.25 27 in. Fancy Silks	89c
75c 26 in. Wash Silks	45c
\$1.25 40 in. Crepe-de-chene	98c
\$1.00 40 in. Chiffons	89c
36 in. Aledo Silk	22c
36 in. Satene Linings	42c

## **Wash Goods**

7c Apron Gingham	5c
15c Fancy Printed Handkerchiefs	10c
20c Fancy Printed Sateens	13c

## **Underwear**

Ladies' 60c Union Suits	4c
Ladies' \$1.00 Union Suits	79c
Ladies' \$1.00 Athena Union Suits	69c
Ladies' \$2.50 Athena Union Suits	\$1.50
Ladies' \$3.00 Silk and Wool Union Suits	\$1.75
Children's \$1.00 Munsing Union Suits	99c
Children's 60c Union Suits	39c
Children's 35c Shirts and Drawers	29c
Boys' 25c Shirts and Drawers	25c
Ladies' \$1.50 Vests and Pants	\$1.00
Men's \$1.00 Outing Night Shirts	69c

## **Linens**

60c Mercerized Damask	48c
75c Table Damask	63c
\$1.00 Cream and Bleached Damask	84c
\$1.25 Cream and Bleached Damask	98c
\$1.50 Cream and Bleached Damask	\$1.15

## **Wool Blankets**

\$10.00 Wool Blankets	\$7.50
\$8.75 Wool Blankets	\$6.30
\$7.50 Wool Blankets	\$5.00
\$6.00 Wool Blankets	\$4.75
\$5.00 Wool Blankets	\$3.95

## **Auto Rugs**

\$4.75 Wool Auto Rugs	\$3.65
\$5.75 Wool Auto Rugs	\$4.48
\$6.75 Wool Auto Rugs	\$4.98
\$7.00 Wool Auto Rugs	\$5.48

## **Coats—Suits**

Choice Ladies Tailored Suits	\$11.00
Ladies' \$22.50 Coats	\$13.75
Ladies' \$22.50 Coats	\$13.75
Ladies' \$16.50 Coats	\$7.50
Children's \$9.00 Coats	\$4.95
Children's \$5.00 Coats	\$2.95
Ladies' \$5.00 Dress Skirts	\$3.95
Ladies' Silk Dresses	\$3.95
Ladies' Silk Dresses	\$7.45

## **Bed Spreads**

\$5.00 Spread and Sham	\$3.95
\$1.25 Crochet Spreads	\$1.10
\$2.00 Crochet Spreads	\$1.80

## **BASEMENT**

10c Fleeced Kimon Flannel	8c
10c White Shaker Flannel	8c
10c Light and Dark Outing	8c
10c Dress Gingham	8c
7c 36 in. Bleached Muslin	5c
7c 36 in. Unbleached Muslin	5c
25c 72 in. Unbleached Sheet	17c
20c 42 in. Pillow Tubing	13c
50c Leather Bound Gift Books	35c

## **All Kinds**

50c Japanese Bread Box	29c
45c Gray Enamel Foot Tub	23c
25c Japanese Coal Hood	19c

10 bars Lenox Laundry Soap	25c
\$1.25 Copper Bottom Wash Boiler	95c
\$2.00 24 in. Matting Suit Case	\$1.48
\$3.00 24 in. Leatherette Suit Case	\$2.28
10c Sherbert Glasses	5c
Men's 50c Blue Work Shirts	39c

## **Rugs**

\$1.00 36x72 Wilton Velvet	85c
Rugs	\$2.95
\$2.50 27x45 Wilton Velvet	\$1.69
Rugs	\$1.69
8 qt. Gray Enamel Dish Pan	10c
14 qt. Gray Enamel Preserving Kettle	23c
17 qt. Gray Enamel Dish Pan	25c
10 qt. Gray Enamel Water Pail	25c
3 qt. Gray Enamel Tea Kettle	25c
3 qt. Gray Enamel Coffee Pot	25c

BUY NOW and Save MONEY!

# **THE STARS BY NIGHT**

By H. A. Withee  
Part Two.

The Stars visible to the unaided eye are divided into six classes called magnitudes. Magnitude does not here refer to size, but to brightness. When the stars were first distinguished as being of the first magnitude, the second magnitude, and so on, it was thought the brightest were the largest and the faintest the smallest. But the term now indicates only their relative brilliancy. The difference in brightness may be due to a difference in distance, in size or in actual brightness. Thus the faintest stars may not be the most distant from us.

Of the first magnitude are the twenty brightest fixed stars, and of these about two-thirds are visible in the middle north latitude of the United States. The number of second-magnitude stars is sixty-five, and of the third, about two hundred. The numbers for the lower magnitude increase rapidly with descent in the scale of brightness, the increase being in a rough geometrical proportion, the seventh having about thirteen thousands, the ninth, one hundred forty-two thousands. In star catalogues are listed magnitudes as low as the fifteenth. Of course all below the sixth (and many persons can not see a star of the sixth magnitude) are telescopic.

## **Value of the Stars.**

A hard-headed business man may be of the opinion that the stars are of little value in the practical everyday business affairs. He may not see how they can ever put money into his pocket or clothes upon his back. They may not mean "dollars and cents" as do so many bushels of wheat or bales of cotton, and yet, as we shall presently show, they may influence his fortunes either directly or indirectly.

At any rate they afford him amid the mutations of mundane objects, examples of stability and endurance. They shone down upon this earth before that garden was planted in Eden. They were old old when the prophets told of the coming of the Messiah. They have been termed the landmarks of the universe. In time, all things terrestrial grow old, all pass away; all disappear. Even the Pyramids, those splendidly worthless structures, the oldest upon earth, can not forever resist the destroying tooth of time, and in time they must crumble. Years by thousands have passed since the foundation of the first Egyptian dynasty. The pyramids have seen the old empire, the Persian, the Macedonian, the Roman, the Mohammedan, and may see the rise and fall of others. Perhaps in some distant day another "man of destiny" may turn to his army and say, "Soldiers, from the tops of yonder monuments, twice forty centuries look down upon you."

But the stars were when the Pyramids were not. Looking down from the vault of heaven are the same stars that looked down upon the Chaldean Shepherds as they watched their flocks by night and gazed up to the stellar lights to read the passing hours. Then, as now, Ursa Mayor climbed around his great circle in the northern skies. The mighty hunter Orion, with the brilliant stars in his belt, followed by his dogs Sirius and Procyon, pursued the Scorpion along the star-strewn path. The Eagle, and the Swan with pinions that rested not, kept to their flight, and the beauty of the Pleiades glittered thru the soundless abysses of space.

The place of each star is marked with such accuracy that no deception is possible to the astronomer who reads the page of the Celestial Sphere as easily as the historian reads the page of a book.

Men "going down to the sea in ships" take with them on a voyage round the world, a book called the Nautical Almanac, a work prepared three or four years in advance by government astronomers. This book is a largely accurate mathematical publication and transcends in its accuracy, any other mathematical work issued in this country. A statement in it is received with unvarying confidence by those whose very lives may depend on its truthfulness. On the precision of the Nautical Almanac depends the safety of all ships on the ocean, among which may be some "coming home from sea" with cargoes that your hard-headed business men may convert into "dollars and cents" and add to his accumulations. In this book the places the moon, sun, stars and planets will occupy at certain stated hours for each day are given, and this information, along with observations of the sun or fixed stars, enables navigators to find their way across the pathless seas.

## **Guide to Surveyors.**

In surveying, it is the stars that furnish the only steadfast, immutable guide.

The astronomer regards the fixed

stars as the landmarks from which to compute the paths of wandering heavenly bodies; the geographer makes them signal stations, and by means of them, finds the position of places on earth. For the navigator, they are lights that guide him over the waste of waters. The hunter and wayfarer may look up to them as a clock. The farmer may use them as a calendar. The historian finds in them, many a memorable event in the earliest Grecian history. The poet sees in them the Grecian mythology which has been the basis of many an interesting story; and even the ordinary beholder may look up to them with awe, and say with the Psalmist: "The heavens declare the glory of God; and the firmament sheweth his handiwork."

The first determination of the length of the year was made from the annual rising of a certain star with the sun. The Egyptians had at an early period, observed that the rising of the Nile was coincident with the heliacal rising of Sirius the Dog Star, and from this coincidence, they were led to believe the fact was due in some way to celestial agencies. With the Egyptian it came to mean that the appearance of the Dog Star on the horizon at sunrise was not only the signal but the actual cause of the inundation. The heliacal rising of this star might therefore be looked forward to as a welcome event, and it was soon observed that this occurred with regularity at periods of about 360 days. Thus was determined the first approximation to the length of the year.

The Dog star Sirius is the most brilliant fixed star in the heavens; and the annual rise of the Nile was due to the Egyptians—the most important event upon earth. Mistaking a coincidence for a cause, it is little wonder the Egyptian should indulge the belief that when that splendid star emerged in the morning and began in virtue of its power to assert its influence, the Nile should respond and the inundation follow as a consequence. The Rotation of the earth on its axis, from west to east, cause the apparent motion of the stars. Those in equatorial regions appear to rise in the eastern skies and move toward the western horizon. But the stars have a proper motion as well as one that is seeming. So immense is the distance that separates this planet from the fixed stars that thruout our lifetime, we shall never be able to detect any change in their positions. Could Ptolemy revisit the earth, he would be able to detect no change in the heavens in the years that have elapsed since his observations. Yet astronomers tell us some of the fixed stars are sweeping thru space at a rate that seems almost incredible. Tuhs, to Arcturus is assigned a speed of 200,000 miles an hour. Notwithstanding this stupendous motion "it requires three centuries for it to move over the starry vault a space equal to the moon's apparent diameter."

## **As Durable as Time.**

The changes for future stellar relations are so gradual that concessions of hundreds, perhaps thousands of centuries, may be necessary in computing the time of a distant astronomical event. But the scale on which the universe is constructed as to space corresponds as to time.

Not because of the time required does the astronomer entertain any doubt that the solar system accomplishes a revolution around a distant center of gravity in nineteen millions of years, or that the year of Epsilon Lyrae is five hundred thousands of ours. He looks forward to the far-off day when Sirius will no longer appear in our skies, when the southern Cross will be visible and Alpha Lyrae the Polar Star. He looks back thru the vista of the past to the time when Alpha Draconis occupied that conspicuous position. He tells us that the Southern Cross was becoming invisible in 53 degrees and 30 minutes N. 2900 years before our era and that it had previously attained an altitude of more than ten degrees. When it departed from the horizon of the countries on the Baltic, the Pyramid of Cheops had been erected more than a thousand years.

In dealing with astronomical problems, time is one of the leading elements involved and the other is space. Not to accept an astronomer's conclusions because the time required for the event transcends all human experience is no argument against his averment. He must always take a due account of time. We read in the Fables that when the flowers were one evening conversing, "Our gardener," said the Rose to the Lily, "will live forever. I have never seen any change in him." The Tulip, who died yesterday, told me she had remarked the same thing; she believed that he must be immortal. I am sure he never was born."

## **KANSAS CITY PURCHASES BECK, PHELAN AND HARGRAVES**

Delegates to American Association Meeting Give Much Attention to Dicker Over Players.

Chicago, Jan. 15.—Delegates to the American association annual meeting here gave much attention to dicker over players as to the business of the league meeting, according to one of the representatives. It was announced tonight by Dan Shay of the Kansas City club that he had closed a deal with Joe Tinker, manager of the Cubs, by which he secured three of the latter's players. The

three are F. Beck, first baseman; Art Phelan, second baseman; and "Bubbles" Hargraves, catcher. The price for the men, he said, was \$75,000.

Eoboy Quinn of the Columbus club announced he had purchased Mel Stiel, shortstop of the Grand Rapids Central League club and John McCarty, first baseman of the Terre Haute of the Central League. The price paid was not given.

President Weeghman of the local Nationals was in conference during the evening with several of the American association delegates. He denied he would back Roger Bresnahan, former manager of the Cubs, in his effort to purchase a franchise for Toledo.

# **MAVERICKS**

One thing that always puzzled us  
And yet it is not new,  
Is the fool who when its ten below,  
Asks, is it cold enough for you?

A Peoria man has invented a device to keep people from slipping on slippery walks. It consists of beer caps nailed on the sole of the shoe with the corrugated edge down. The only trouble with the invention here is that we haven't the beer caps.

## **Pass the Soup.**

Orlie Bouillon attended church at Bunker Hill, Thursday night.

When a man begins to talk about what he used to do it is a sign that he is getting old.

If the Progressive party really wants to unite with the Republicans, its leaders should give Senator Sherman a close inspection. We believe they will find that Mr. Sherman is not only the man for the place but that he will do the things that the Progressives believe should be done.

The esteemed Peoria Journal has gone a step further in simplified spelling and the other day referred to a young woman singing the praises of Bacchus.

People who are kicking about the cold weather should just think of those soldiers in Europe who are fighting in snow waist deep.

The doubtful honor of being the coldest city in the United States on Wednesday evening went to Hannah, N. K., where the thermometer is said to have registered 53 degrees below zero.

We presume that the administration will exchange a couple of dozen notes with the Carranza government about the Americans who were murdered in Mexico the other day and then accept an apology and permit some more to be murdered.

The general impression is that women are prone to gossip but we know lots of the male persuasion in this town who have any women we ever knew backed off the boards when it comes to talking about people.

W. Kee Maxwell says that some poets who talk of the nightingale wouldn't know a nightingale from a raincrow. Did you ever see a rain-crow Max?

To sing a roundelay of spring in cheerless winter weather. Would be about the proper thing if we could get ourselves together.

## **Revenue Officers Beware.**

Ed Still is at home from his trip to Kentucky.—Carlinville Democrat.

A man in Peoria fell off of a wagon the other day and nearly lost an ear. No it wasn't the water wagon, it was a coal wagon.

In the Tribune the other day B. L. T. pulled one about "Dodge the tailor." B. L. T. should wake up, Dodge the tailor died in this city several years ago.

That fund for foot and mouth disease should be made big enough as there will be an epidemic of mouth disease among the candidates before many weeks.

Frequently we hear somebody say that we never get anything right in the newspapers. We acknowledge that we are prone to mistakes just like other human beings. The only difference, however, and the reason our mistakes are noticed is that several thousand people read them while with the individual his remarks are probably only heard by a half dozen and perhaps they are not of enough importance that it would make any difference if he did make a mistake.

## **Good Location.**

I have moved my saw mill to my residence in Chesterfield, and am now ready to saw out your barn frames or do any other sawing you may wish done. GEORGE ANGELO.

Germany has asked the recall of Consul Higgins for giving voice to anti-German sentiments. We imagine that if we could understand half that is said we would ask for the recall of all of Germany's representatives in this country.

It is said that the new income law, blanks have some puzzling things in them. The news will not bother many newspaper men.

Over in England they spell it tyre when referring to an automobile tire. They do lots of funny things in England, however.

"Want to prevent use of Navy muzzles," says a head line. We never knew they used muzzles in the navy before.

Judge—What is the matter, can't you get along with your wife?  
Husband—I don't know judge. Since she joined the suffragettes I haven't seen her enough to know whether I could get along with her or not.

## **Movie Ads.**

"Sweet Alyssum," only ten cents. "Sinners," by special request.

W. Kee Maxwell of the Peoria Journal was mourning the other day because the Kansas City Journal used some of his stuff and marked it "unidentified." Don't shed any tears over it, Max. Last summer we wrote a little story about the death of

# **The Emporium**

## **Closing-Out Sale**

Handsome Arabian Lambs, Wool Flusher, Al-Wool Chinchillas, B. ucles, Genuine Astrakhans, Corduroys, Seal Plushes, Imported Ve'curs, Scotch Mixtures, English Overplaids, Matte Lambs, Persiannias, Velvets and every other kind of material. Many beautifully fur trimmed, silk lined, in all new Winter colors and sizes.

Coats that formerly sold up to \$12.50, now .. **\$1.98**

Coats that formerly sold up to \$15.00, now .. **\$2.98**

Coats that formerly sold up to \$17.50, now .. **\$3.98**

Coats that formerly sold up to \$19.50, now .. **\$4.98**



## **LUXURIOUS HIGH-PRICED COATS**

Fur Trimmed Silk Plushes—Imported Moleskin Coats—Rich Chiffon Broadcloths

\$25 Coats and Wraps **\$8.95**

\$35 Coats and Wraps **\$11.95**

Brocaded Panne Velvets—Exquisite Silk Corduroys—New Bolevia Velours

\$45 Coats and Wraps .. **\$15**

\$50 & \$65 Coats and Wraps **\$18.75**

## **FURS**

### **SCARFS**

Leopard skins, black wolfs, white iceland foxes, raccoons, etc.—newest style collars—values to \$20.00 for—

\$1 \$2 \$3 \$5

### **MUFFS**

Black Wolf, French Coney, Tiger, Coney, Red Fox, and others—large full size—now in stock—values to \$22.50 for—

\$2 \$3 \$4 \$5

SETS Tiger Coney Sets, French Coney Sets, White Misses' Sets, Black Wolf Sets, etc.—hundreds and hundreds to choose from—values to \$35, for

\$3.50 \$5.50 \$7.50 \$9.50

## **SUIT SALE**

A high-class manufacturer close out of 85 Fur-Trimmed Suits, Values up to \$29.75, at

Fur-trimmed Suits worth \$29.75  
Fur-trimmed Suits worth \$25.00  
Fur-trimmed Suits worth \$22.50  
Fur-trimmed Suits worth \$20.00

Beautiful Chiffon Broadcloths, Gabardines, Serges, Poplins, etc.; all nicely trimmed with costly furs and lined with superb silks and satins—magnificent styles in all new winter colorings, at

**\$9.98**

**\$6.50 Ladies' All Wool Sweater Coats .. 1.98**

Nancy Hanks the famous race mare and nearly all the papers in this section lifted it bodily and used it as original copy.

## **SATURDAY IN CONGRESS.**

Senate.  
Not in session; meets at noon Monday.

### **House.**

Met at noon.  
Ways and means committee held hearings on dyestuff manufacturing bill.

Debate on Ferris public lands leasing bill was resumed.  
Passed the Ferris bill for federal leasing of mineral lands in the public domain.

Debate the Ferris bill for 640 acre "stock raising homesteads" affecting seventeen states, the last of the group of administrative measures.

Resolutions for investigation of the so-called sisal twine trust of Yucatan and its United States agencies introduced by Representative Cox of Indiana.

Education committee continuing hearing on proposed legislation for federal censorship of moving pictures.  
Adjourned at 4 p. m., until noon Monday



## Facts

The first payment makes you a member.  
There are no other expenses.  
You make your payments weekly, or if you desire to do so, you may pay several weeks in advance.  
You get every cent back that you pay in.  
Interest is paid at three percent, provided all payments are made promptly.  
The payments are so small and so evenly distributed, you can keep them up without inconvenience.  
You will get your "Christmas Check" about two weeks before the holidays.

### Our Total Resources Are Over Three Million Dollars

We know of no savings plan in the United States so beneficial in teaching the savings habit or so profitable in actual earnings for the saver as that of

## The Ayers National Bank Christmas Savings Club

Members starting with 5 cents and increasing five cents each week for fifty weeks, will get .....\$63.75	Members starting with 2 cents and increasing two cents each week for fifty weeks, will get .....\$25.50	Members starting with one cent and increasing one cent each week for fifty weeks, will get .....\$12.75	Members paying 25 cents a week fixed, for fifty weeks, will get .....\$12.50
Members starting with \$2.50 and decreasing five cents each week for fifty weeks, will get .....\$63.75	Members starting with \$1.00 and decreasing two cents each week for fifty weeks, will get .....\$25.50	Members starting with 50 cents and decreasing one cent each week for fifty weeks, will get .....\$12.75	Members paying 50 cents a week fixed, for fifty weeks, will get .....\$25.00
			Members paying \$1.00 a week fixed, for fifty weeks, get .....\$50.00

## THIEVES MAKE BIG HAUL AT MEREDOSA

OPEN SAFE AT LESLIE FLOUR  
AND FEED STORE

Secured \$60 in Money and Two Checks Aggregating \$8,800. Also Valuable Papers—Blood Hounds From Springfield Fail to Locate Burglars.

Early Saturday morning thieves entered the flour and feed store of A. J. Leslie and took a key from the desk drawer that unlocked the inner door of the safe and secured \$60 in money and a bank book belonging to Mr. Leslie and a check for \$1,800 and \$7,000 belonging to Mr. Leslie's son-in-law, Hugh Sargent.

The checks were payable to a firm in Kansas, a deed and abstract to a city property in Kansas, also some letters and papers valuable to Mr. Sargent.

**Bloodhounds on Trail.**  
The Springfield bloodhounds of Springfield were sent for and arrived on the afternoon train and several different trails taken but nothing definite was found out.

Messrs. Leslie and Sargent would like very much to have their papers and safe key returned, if nothing else.

The thieves locked the safe and took the key.

### NOTICE

Do you want to be a Ford agent? If so come and see me. I want a dealer in Chapin, Murrayville, Manchester, Alexander and Litterberry. C. N. Priest, the Ford man. 228-30 South Sandy Street Jacksonville, Ill.

### UNLAWFUL TO DRIVE ON ROADS RECENTLY DRAGGED.

It seems almost incredible that users of public thoroughfares will continue to persist in riding over roads that have recently been dragged. It is certainly enterprising on the part of farmers to drag the roads and put them in proper shape and it must be discouraging to see their efforts so little appreciated by the thoughtless people. There is a law against such action. It says, "It shall be unlawful for any person or persons to drive or cause to be driven on a vehicle of any description in or upon any portion of the highway immediately after the same has been dragged and before such portion of highway shall have been partially dried out or frozen. Any violation of this section on conviction thereof, subjects the offender to a fine of not less than \$10 or more than \$25 for the first offense."

### NOTICE

Do you want to be a Ford agent? If so come and see me. I want a dealer in Chapin, Murrayville, Manchester, Alexander and Litterberry. C. N. Priest, the Ford man. 228-30 South Sandy Street Jacksonville, Ill.

### HEIR OF STEPHEN S. RUSSELL IS SOUGHT.

Is there any person or persons in Sangamon or Morgan county who is qualified by law to keep the state of Oklahoma from falling heir to the rich oil lands of the late Stephen S. Russell of Perry, Oklahoma. This is the problem which Probate Judge H. Jenkins is trying to solve by locating such a person if he exists. The dead man's estate consists of farm and oil lands in the northern part of the county in which he died. If relatives who can prove their relationship cannot be found the property will go to the State of Oklahoma.

### FOR SALE

1913 40 h. p. Mitchell, formerly speedster, now used as delivery fast car. Bargain. 236 North Main St. M. H. Walter.

### VISITING HOME FOLK.

Miss Hattie Pires returned home from Danville yesterday where she appeared on the program of the success company Sales managers convention. Miss Pires will visit her home for two weeks before going to Wilmington, North Carolina for the remainder of the winter.

### FIRE LOSSES IN ILLINOIS

According to the monthly report by State Fire Marshal Walter H. Bennett, the state of Illinois suffered a loss during the month of December, 1915, of \$1,710,125. The greater number of these fires occurred in dwellings and started from chimneys, either overheated or defective, are given as the contributing causes. Chicago had 558 fires.

Mrs. Wm. Barr Brown, soloist, State St. Church, Friday evening.

### WAVERLY MILL THREATENED

A fire which for a few moments threatened to be serious broke out in the boiler room at Turnbull's mill at Waverly at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon. The blaze was thought to have originated from some cylinder oil. The workmen gave the flames most vigorous attention for a few moments and the mill was saved.

### AT WESTMINSTER.

The Rev. F. W. Kirkpatrick, of the Second Presbyterian church of Joliet, Ill., will preach in Westminster church this morning and evening. Mr. Kirkpatrick comes of good Presbyterian stock. His father having been a minister before him.

Spring time is coming. Place your order for 1916 Overland. J. F. Claus.

Miss Elizabeth Connolly of Murrayville was among the shoppers in the city Saturday.

## OUR CLEARANCE SALE

Is Attracting the Women of Jacksonville and Suburban Towns

We are sacrificing everything. In our beautiful stock of Ladies' Suits, Coats, Skirts, Waists and Furs, all the latest styles. Come in and look around. We are making room for our spring stock and must sell quickly at low prices. Everything is clean, bright and new.

### The Coats

Beautiful, desired styles. These values up to \$15.00. Choice.....\$5.00

### The Dresses

All late fall models. Silks and Serges. Very special at.....\$7.50

Clearance of FURS. Some at Half Price and Less. Call and See Them.

### The Skirts

All best materials and styles; choice this week.....\$5

### The Waists

These waists are splendid quality and value; choice.....79c

### The Petticoats

Entirely different than any other Petticoat. Splendid values at.....98c

### The Gowns

Those comfortable Flannelette kind; the kind you want.....49c

Special Values All Through the Store

GET A SAVINGS BANK AT 25c

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Known for ready to wear.

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## WHEN YOUR HAIR GETS THIN

Commence treating it at once with a reliable hair tonic. No time should be lost if you wish to avoid baldness.

### Hirsutone Hair Tonic

Is a reliable hair grower and scalp food. It nourishes the scalp, invigorates hair roots and stimulates hair growth. Not greasy. 50c and \$1.

## ARMSTRONGS' DRUG STORE

THE QUALITY STORE  
South West Corner Square  
JACKSONVILLE, ILLINOIS.

### THE FARMERS' CLUB.

Many inquiries have been made within the last two weeks, what has become of the Morgan County Farmers' club? This question was propounded Saturday to Charles S. Black, president of the club, and his reply was that it is the intention to hold a meeting at an early date. The late season for corn gathering and the bad weather following made farmers so much extra work that Mr. Black had the feeling that attendance would be light even if meetings were called, and he therefore deemed it best to not attempt any formal programs until midwinter. Now it is probable that several sessions will be held before spring work on farms begins. The subjects in mind for discussion will be especially related to early spring and summer farm work.

Place your order for one of those beautiful 1916 Overland's. Spring will soon be here. J. F. Claus, agent.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES

Samuel W. Nichols, Jacksonville, Ill.  
Mrs. Elizabeth S. English, Jacksonville, Ill.

Hello, \$695.00 fully equipped Overland. J. F. Claus sells them.

### KILBANE DEFEATS CONIFREY.

Philadelphia, Jan. 15.—Johnny Kilbane, feather-weight champion of the world, defeated Frankie Conifrey of New York in a six round bout here tonight.



THE Texas Wonder cures kidney and bladder troubles, dissolves gravel, cures rheumatism, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all troubles of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1. One small bottle is two months' treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Send 2¢ for full particulars and other States. Dr. E. W. Hall, 235 Olive Street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists—Adv.

## SPECIALS

For This Week

Shanahan Best Flour, large sack, 49 pounds.....	\$1.00
Small sack.....	.80c
Minnesota Queen Flour, large sack.....	1.75
Small sack.....	.90c
3 Cans Tomatoes, Corn and Peas for Syrup.....	.25c
2 Cans Peaches, Apricots and Pears in Syrup.....	.25c
3 lbs. Bulk Peaches.....	.25c
3 lbs. Lima Beans.....	.25c
Prunes, per lb.....	.10c
Apricots in bulk, per lb.....	.15c
3 Cans Kidney Beans.....	.25c
Currants and Raisins, 2 lbs.....	.25c
3 Cans Milk, for.....	.25c
3 packages Pancake Flour.....	.25c

## Shanahan & Shanahan

237 East State St.  
Illinois 232. Bell 575.

### COUNCIL ORGANIZED AT SECOND-BAPTIST CHURCH

Better Co-operation Object of Meeting at Home Sanatorium—Home Coming Planned.

The presidents of the ten different organizations of Second Baptist church met with Dr. A. H. Kenniebrew Friday evening for a luncheon and conference at the Home Sanatorium. Dr. Kenniebrew is financial secretary of the church. The work of the new year was mapped out and methods of aiding the church were discussed from the standpoint of each organization. The work is in a very wholesome condition and the Rev. H. H. DeWitt, pastor of the church, spoke enthusiastically of the future.

"The President's Council," composed of only the executive officers of the different bodies, was organized, with the object of promoting greater union and harmony between the several organizations. Mrs. John Blue of the Third Ward club was elected president; Mrs. C. H. Freeman of the Fourth Ward club, vice president; Mrs. Laura Lafayette, secretary of the Sunday school, secretary.

A church home-coming, the fourth Friday evening in the month is being arranged by the council.

In the dining room of the sanatorium a luncheon was served with the following menu: Fruit cocktail, cold tongue, princess potatoes, hot biscuit and butter, shrimp salad and crackers, ice cream and cake.

The room was decorated with carnations, roses, palms and ferns. Miss E. K. Van Vranken, superintendent of nurses, received much praise from the guests for the excellent manner in which she prepared and carried out her part of the program. John Spencer of Grinnell, Ia., and Prof. W. H. Hutchinson, northern financial agent of the Tuskegee Industrial school of Alabama, were honored guests of Dr. Kenniebrew and the council.

### SPECIAL NOTICE.

AT OUR JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE GOODS IN EVERY DEPARTMENT ARE NOW BEING SLAUGHTERED. J. HERMAN.

### BAPTISTS WILL MEET A MONTH EARLIER

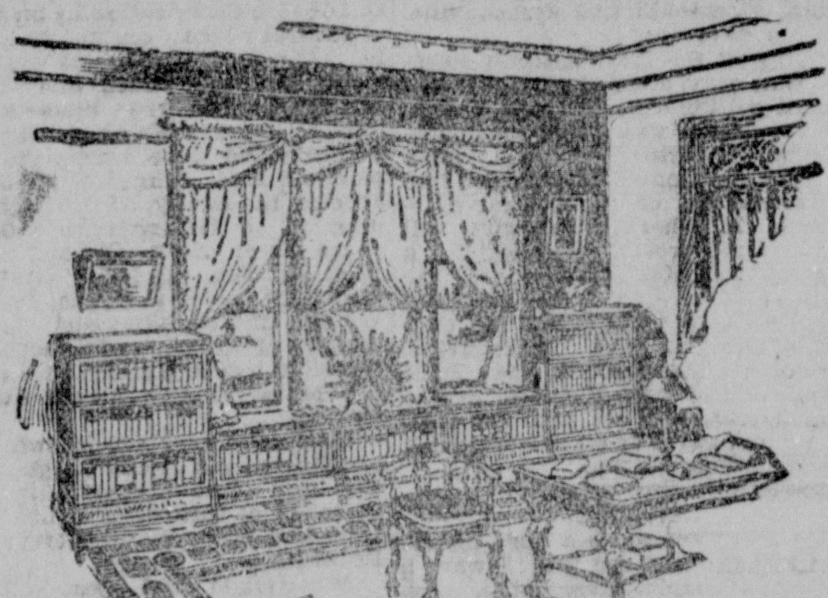
At a recent meeting of the Illinois Baptist assembly held in Springfield it was decided to change the date of the annual assembly from Aug. 12-20 to July 12-20. The change was made in order that a large number of Baptist pastors might be able to take their vacation during the month of August. The assembly elected Rev. T. Harley Marsh of Decatur, as president; Martin S. Bryant of Champaign, business manager, and Rev. J. G. Little of Urbana as secretary.

### BUY NOW.

Ladies and Misses' Winter Coats at less than manufacturer's cost. FLORETH CO.

### STRICTLY BASKETBALL

RULES OF CLINTON HIGH  
The Clinton high school management has adopted some strenuous rules relative to basketball playing for this season. No tobacco of any kind shall be used in training season. No candy or pastry eating, but one cup of coffee or tea shall be drunk each day, and every member of the team must be in bed by 10 o'clock each night. Penalty for infraction of the rules is suspension from two games of the schedule.



## Globe-Wernicke "ELASTIC" BOOKCASE

The kind that grows with your library—that will fit practically any space—that can be moved one unit at a time by one person without disturbing the books—that is practical, artistic, and the only perfect sectional bookcase made. Fitted with non-binding, roller-bearing doors; base units furnished with or without drawers; and all made in a variety of woods and finishes adapted to any surroundings. Call and see them or send for catalog 105 with interior views showing arrangement in library, parlor, etc.

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Globe-Wernicke Book Cases, the expansion kind, is the thing to buy. Made in oak, 3 sections, top and base; any finish, also birch and solid mahogany.

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DRY GOODS STORE.

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## January Clearing Sale

is going on and will last all of this week. We have bargains for everybody. The weather has been bad, but the "pickin'" is good." We have the goods at the price.

Our Clearing Sale Closes Saturday  
January 22nd.

If you want your share of our bargains, come to see us. This sale only comes once a year. J. N. Green Trading Stamps given with all cash purchases. Ask for them. They are money-savers.

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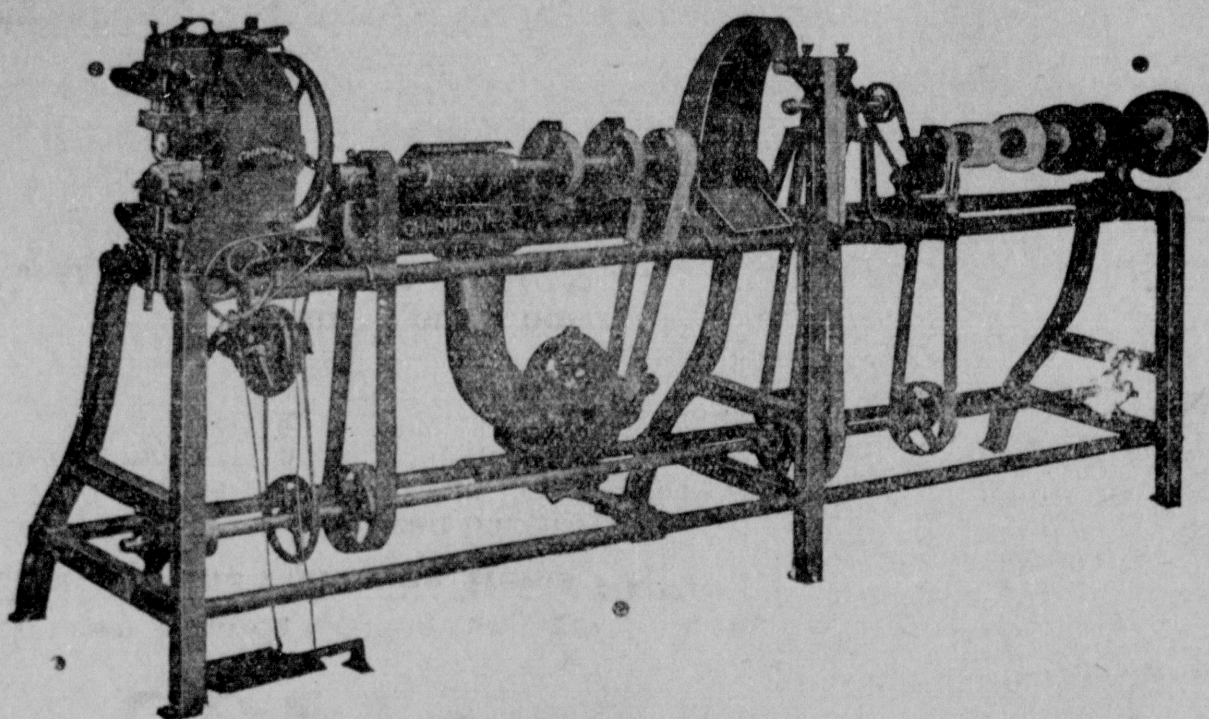


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## MRS. ENGLISH BECOMES WIFE OF S. W. NICHOLS

QUIET HOME CEREMONY TOOK PLACE AT EIGHT O'CLOCK SATURDAY NIGHT.

Announcement of Nuptials of Well Known Jacksonville People Came as a Great Surprise—Will Live at the Nichols Residence, 717 West College Street.

Their secret had been guarded so carefully that it was late Saturday afternoon when the interesting news became current that Mrs. Elizabeth Sinclair English and Mr. Samuel W. Nichols were to be married Saturday night. The ceremony was solemnized at 8 o'clock at the home of the bride, 337 West Morgan street, by Dr. A. B. Morey. Only a very limited number witnessed the ceremony, the company including a very few neighbors and friends. The sole guest from a distance was Miss Frances English, who came home from Chicago, to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Nichols will immediately take possession of the Nichols home, 717 West College street, which is to be their place of residence. The friendship between this bride and groom of mature years began years ago and the intimacy and kindly interest grew until the marriage was agreed upon. Several years ago when Mr. Nichols was ill, because of the absence of his sister he was cared for at the English home. In 1909 Mrs. English and her two daughters, Misses Margaret and Frances, accompanied Mr. Nichols on an extended European tour, and since that time the relations between Mr. Nichols and his present wife and daughters have been of the most cordial character.

Their journey abroad was of special interest and pleasure to Mrs. Nichols because she is a native of Edinburgh, Scotland, and this trip was the first time that she had returned to Edinburgh, where as Elizabeth Sinclair, she spent her childhood days. The party spent many days in Edinburgh and surrounding country visiting places replete with historic interest to Mrs. Nichols and daughters. Mrs. Nichols since coming to America has been always a resident of this city. She has lived quietly and in such a way that her spirit and refinement have given her an especially high place in the estimation of all those who know her intimately. Thru the years Mrs. Nichols has been identified with State Street Presbyterian church, and actively interested in the various departments of the church work. It was therefore her great pleasure to have Dr. A. B. Morey, so long her pastor, perform the ceremony by which she became the wife of Mr. Nichols.

After engaging for a number of years in other business enterprises Mr. Nichols with others acquired the Journal property from the late Chas. M. Eames, and the Jacksonville Journal company was organized. His connection with the Journal, begun twenty-five years ago, has continued in varying capacities to the present. Mr. Nichols is best known because of his philanthropies, and he has devoted a large part of his life accumulations to public enterprises and private benefactions. Nichols park was made possible thru his generosity and at a comparatively recent date he gave the nurses' home to Passavant hospital.

Mr. Nichols is a man of fine ability and most generous impulses and this community owes him more than one debt of gratitude. As friends Mr. and Mrs. Nichols have had a delightful relationship thru the years, and last night when the unexpected announcement of their wedding came, they received many expressions of good will, and congratulations that the ceremony had been performed which would assure them a continuation of their friendship and intimacy thru all the years to come.

Men's underwear that will help keep you warm, at very reasonable prices is sold by FRANK BYRNS.

## MORTUARY

Waters.

Mayor Henry J. Rodgers received a telegram Saturday announcing the death of Mrs. Mary J. Waters, at the home of her son-in-law in Kansas City, Mo. Deceased was the mother of Mrs. John V. Petry of this city and for a number of years resided with her daughter, Mrs. C. W. Alexander in Kansas City. Death resulted from a stroke of paralysis.

Mrs. Waters was first married to John Woodridge of Waverly and resided, in that city for many years. Her husband was engaged in the blacksmithing business with Daniel Bahan of this city. The body will be brought to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Petry, 1145 South East street; the time of the funeral to be announced later.

Mr. and Mrs. Petry have been at the bedside of Mrs. Waters for the past two weeks.

The venerable Mrs. Erasmus Cross died recently at her residence in Sauk Rapids, Minnesota, at the advanced age of 82 years. Death was due to an accident which resulted in a broken hip.

Mrs. Cross and husband went to St. Cloud, Minn., from this city some fifty years ago and there Mr. Cross conducted a meat market for a few years when he removed to Sauk Rapids, where the family has since resided. She is survived by two sons, James of St. Paul and Robert of Sauk Rapids; also two daughters, Mrs. Anna Nicholson of St. Paul and Mrs. Emma Soverign of Sauk Rapids. The family at one time had a number of relatives and friends in this vicinity.

## KEPLINGER-KENNEDY WEDDING IS SOLEMNIZED AT WAVERLY

Popular Young Couple Married Saturday at Home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Kennedy—Will Reside on Farm near Waverly.

Kenneth Kepfinger and Miss Vera Kennedy were married Saturday afternoon at 6 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Kennedy of Waverly. Rev. F. A. McCarly of Jacksonville said the ceremony. The wedding was a quiet one with relatives of the young people present. The couple left on the evening train for Chicago and after their trip will be at home to friends on a farm south of Waverly. A color scheme of pink and white was used in the dining room, where a wedding supper was served at 8 o'clock.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. N. G. Kepfinger and is among the best respected men of Waverly community. As a farmer he has been quite successful, and the large number of friends and acquaintances he possesses hold him in high regard.

The bride was graduated from the Waverly high school with the class of 1911 and taught afterward in the public schools. She attended the State normal and as a teacher won the high regard of all for ability and tact. As one of Waverly's best esteemed young women she will receive the hearty best wishes of a large number. Present at the wedding were Miss Ella Grosbell of Petersburg, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Dunseth of Modesto and Miss Pearl Green.

## NOTICE.

DO YOU WANT TO BE A FORD AGENT? IF SO COME AND SEE ME. I WANT A DEALER IN CHAPIN, MANCHESTER, MURRAYVILLE, ALEXANDER AND LITBERRY.

C. N. PRIEST, THE FORD MAN, 228-30 SOUTH SANDY STREET, JACKSONVILLE, ILL.

## MERRILL ABSTRACT OFFICE WILL CONTINUE

Announcement was made Saturday that thru agreement with J. H. Russell, administrator of the estate of George L. Merrill, that Mrs. Merrill under her legal award had taken over the Merrill abstract business, together with all books and records pertaining to it. This action was taken in order to carry out Mr. Merrill's intention of continuing the abstract business in same location and with the same office force as in the past. The records and equipment of the office are in thorough up to date condition and the business will proceed in an uninterrupted way.

## WANT JACKSONVILLE IN NEW BASEBALL LEAGUE

Walter B. Miser, general manager of the Jacksonville Railway and Light company has received a letter from C. E. East of Kansas City, Mo., asking as to whether Jacksonville has a baseball park. Mr. East in his letter says that it is hoped to get Jacksonville interested in a new league to be known as the Mississippi Valley league to include, Galesburg, Hannibal, Ottumwa, Oskaloosa, Monmouth and Jacksonville.

Some days ago the Journal in speaking of the local baseball situation said that some steps should be taken toward getting a good baseball park. At that time it was stated that probably an opportunity would arise whereby Jacksonville might get into the Three Eye or the Central association. It is hard to tell what will come of the present agitation for a new league. However, three of the towns named, Hannibal, Ottumwa and Oskaloosa were in the old Central association with Jacksonville. They are more desirable than some of the towns now included in the central circuit. Lets take the matter up and see if Jacksonville can't get something started.

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## WILL OF EDWIN BEGGS

The will of the late Edwin Beggs of Ashland will be probated next month. The petition alleges that the estate is valued at \$300,000, of which \$200,000 is in real estate and \$100,000 is in personal property and this is to be divided among eight heirs. The petition is filed by John V. Beggs, Fred E. Beggs and U. J. Sinclair.

FURS! FURS! FURS! ALL FURS NOW ON SALE AT LESS THAN MANUFACTURERS' COST. J. HERMAN, MILLINERY AND READY TO WEAR MERCHANT.

## WESTERN UNION EMPLOYEES MUST TAKE VACATIONS

One of the pleasing announcements made at the recent meeting of the managers of the first division of the Western Union Telegraph company in Chicago was that beginning with the first of the year all employees of the Western Union who have been in service one year, will be granted two weeks' vacation pay. Vacation is made compulsory and includes every one, even the messengers. This feature is in addition to the sickness and accident insurance that is given free.

## TWO FRANKLIN RESIDENTS ANSWER FINAL SUMMONS

John C. Wright, Well Known Stockman Died at Age of 80 Years. Mrs. Minnie White Passes Away in Alton.

John C. Wright, who was widely known thruout Morgan county as a stock dealer, passed away at his home in Franklin Saturday morning at 10:45 o'clock, following an illness of several weeks. He was born April 20, 1836 in Franklin. He was a son of William and Ellen Ann Wright. His father had five brothers and they all came to Morgan county from Virginia and were among the early pioneers here. There were ten children in the family. Mr. Wright was married to Margaret Ann Gibson, daughter of Jacob Gibson, at Scottville, Ill., Feb. 17, 1858. Beside his widow he leaves two sons, James B. Wright of Franklin and William Wright of Arizona. One son, Fred, preceded him in death, and a daughter, Margaret Ann, passed away in infancy.

He is also survived by two brothers, George and Henry Wright of this city and three sisters, Mrs. Nettie Fletcher of Girard, Mrs. Liza Luttrell and Mrs. Mary Seymour of Franklin.

Mr. Wright had spent his entire life in the neighborhood of Franklin and was a man highly regarded in the community. Coroner George Wright of this city is a brother and Walter Wright, an attorney here is a grandson. He also has another grandson in the navy.

The funeral will be held from the Franklin Methodist church Monday morning at 11 o'clock in charge of Rev. E. S. Vorbeck, and burial will be in Franklin cemetery.

Mrs. Minnie White. Mrs. Minnie White passed away Saturday night at 6:15 o'clock at the home of her son, Henry White in Alton, where she had been residing for some time. Mrs. White had been in poor health for a number of years. She was 72 years of age and was born and reared south of Franklin. Her maiden name was Allen, and she married James White, who died about twenty years ago. She was a member of the Baptist church and was a woman known for her goodness and her deeds of love and mercy. She is survived by the following children: Mrs. Will Graubner of Decatur, Mrs. Paul Donnelly of California, Mrs. Frank McKinney of California, Ed Foreman and May, also of California. One son died in infancy, and Fred White who was killed in this city last summer was also a son. She leaves one sister, Miss Marica Massie of Franklin. The remains will be brought to Franklin Monday and the funeral will probably be held some time Tuesday.

BIDS ARE ASKED. Bids will be received by the city council until 10 o'clock a. m., Monday, January 24, 1916, for the official printing of the city of Jacksonville, in accordance with section 54-1-2 of the commission form of government act. Bids should be filed with the undersigned. R. L. Pyatt, City Clerk.

## BRIDGE RECEIPTS INCREASE

Receipts for the bridge across the Illinois river at Beardstown for the year just recently closed according to figures compiled by City Clerk Maslin, amount to \$8,258.10, which was \$497.35 more than collected during the previous year, and that year was considered the greatest in the history of tolls.

ARE THANKFUL. At the regular meeting of the Corps Friday last it was voted to thank both the Journal and the Courier for the many kindnesses shown them during the past year. The Corps appreciates all favors shown them by the local press and hope you will be rewarded with a prosperous year.

Yours in F. C. and L., Mrs. Mary G. Jordan, Pres. H. May Jordan, Press Cor.

## TAX SCHEDULE UPSET.

Knox county's 1915 tax schedule was upset by an injunction issued by Circuit Judge Robert J. Grier, which restricts the extension of \$199,191, assessed on personal property against George A. Lawrence. As a result of the injunction, the tax rates which had been fixed will now be scheduled over.

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We direct your attention now to a lot of 46-in. fancy Balmaccan Overcoats, priced at \$15. It's value you'll not see for many a day.

Here's a suit value it will pay you to look at. All wool, well patterned, finely tailored Suits—good assortment of sizes.

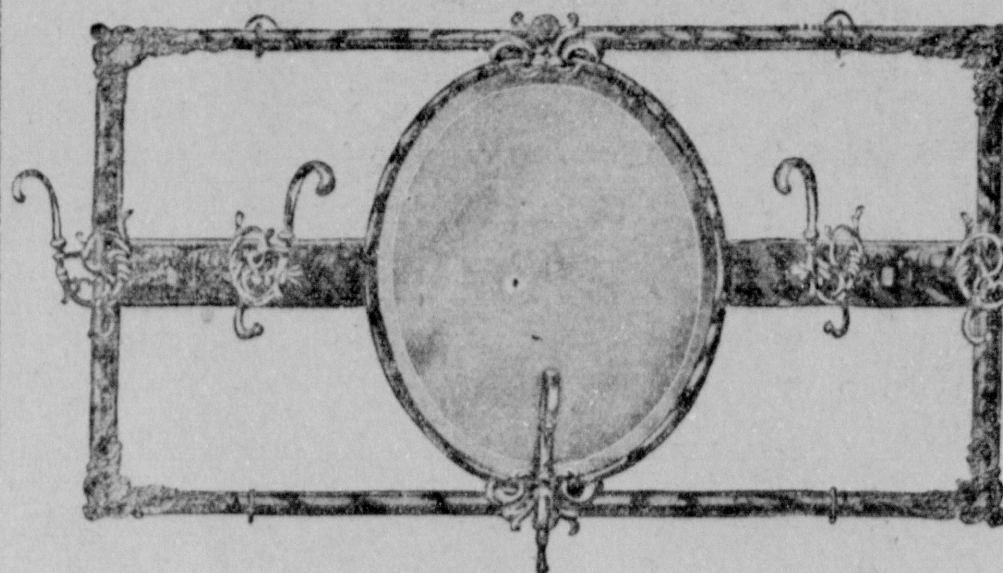
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1 G. O. Frame with double hooks, regular \$4.50 at	\$ 3.15
1 G. O. Frame with four hooks, regular \$7.00 at	5.50
1 G. O. Frame with double hooks, regular \$7.50 at	5.95
1 G. O. Frame with double hooks, regular \$10.00 at	7.95
1 G. O. Frame with double hooks, regular \$11.00 at	8.95
3 G. O. \$15.00 Hall Seats at	10.95
1 G. O. \$19.50 Hall Seats at	14.75
1 F. O. \$8.00 Hall Seat at	6.95

## Values in Lamps Worth While

All \$ 5.00 Lamps, gas or electric	\$ 3.85
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All 12.50 Lamps, gas or electric	8.95
All 15.00 Lamps, gas or electric	10.75
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With Two Pounds Coffee (any price) Your Choice of the Following Items FREE:  
3 bars Lenox Soap 1 can Baked Beans  
1 pkg. Grape Nuts 1 can Post Toasties  
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3 5-cent cans Milk 1 lb. Seeded Raisins

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With One Pound Your Choice of  
5 lb. Granulated Sugar, 29c; 1 pk. Potatoes, 26c;  
3 bars Flake White Soap, 9c.

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